WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Thursday:
Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and westerly winds, continued fair and mild.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Dominion—The Frontier of the Stars.
Variety—Tying Pat.
Columbia—The Heart of Texas Ryan.
Royal—Not Guilty.
Princess—Sick Abed.
Pantages—Vaudeville.

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CITY WELCOMES CANADIAN SQUADRON

Business Goes on As Allied Troops Hold German Towns

Forces In Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort Number 7,000; Efforts of Agitators to Bring on General Strike Fail; Essen District Disturbed.

Dusseldorf, March 9.—Although 7,000 French, British and Belgian soldiers were to-day occupying Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort, the people of those cities were proceeding about their usual affairs.

There were no signs to-day of any immediate labor movement by German workmen as an outcome of the occupation, the effort of agitators to bring on the long-threatened general strike in protest against the imposition of the Allied reparation penalties having failed. This refusal of the workmen to strike, at least for the time being, is attributed by the leaders to the poverty of the men. However, the temper of the laborers in the Essen district is reported such that it is feared the agitation may develop a menacing situation there.

Allied troops to the number of 5,000, with four tanks and three river flotillas, are stationed here, but the military are not in evidence, except that double sentinels were at the street corners with machine guns.

Alongside the order of the French general of occupation which was posted in public places was the proclamation by President Ebert calling upon the people to bear up peaceably under the Entente's "slavery." General de Gouette's order places the miners "and other functionaries of the public utilities" under military control. It likewise forbids passenger train service, except for workmen and international travelers.

Landtag.

General Maucher, commanding the French troops in Dusseldorf, visited the burgomaster to-day and told him General de Gouette had no objection to the meeting of the Rhine Provincial Landtag called for Sunday, provided no speeches were made with regard to the occupation.

The communal police are remaining on Duty. The security police who were disarmed yesterday, received their arms back to-day. The men on duty were reduced to the smallest number consistent with the preservation of order.

No Incidents.

Dusseldorf, March 9.—Allied soldiers patrolled the city of Dusseldorf last night. So far as known there were no untoward incidents, the population of the city accepting the presence of Entente troops with seeming apathy.

All theatres, moving picture houses and concerts were ordered closed late yesterday by General de Gouette, commander of the French forces occupying the city, but he promised this order might be modified in a few days.

State of Siege.

Provincial authorities were invited yesterday to meet the commander of the Allied troops here and a state of siege was declared.

The newspapers are appearing under censorship. They so far have abstained from referring anywhere in their columns to the occupation.

From Paris.

Paris, March 9.—Dr. Wilhelm Mayer, German Ambassador to France, left Paris for Berlin this morning.

From Brussels.

Brussels, March 9.—Dr. Landsberg, the German Minister here, who has been recalled by his Government, left Brussels yesterday for Berlin.

It was semi-officially announced in Berlin Tuesday that the German diplomatic representative at London, Paris and Brussels had been summoned to Berlin.

WAIL WAS UTTERED BY FEHRENBACH

Chancellor Approved Delegation's Protests to Allies

Berlin, March 9. — (Associated Press).—Protests voiced to the Allied Supreme Council in London by Dr. Walter Simons, Foreign Minister and head of the German delegation at the reparations conference, were endorsed by Chancellor Fehrenbach, who spoke before the Reichstag yesterday. After announcing that negotiations at London had been broken off and that the German delegation was returning home, the Chancellor said:

"This violation of law and justice can not be defended on any judicial grounds. It assumes doubly pernicious aspects when directed against a people from whom the last defence had been taken. The events of the past week have convinced the Government the methods pursued by the Allies can not possibly accomplish the rehabilitation of Europe nor bring about a liquidation of the war.

Responsibility.

"In the course of the negotiations, Dr. Simons appealed to history," the said the Chancellor in discussing the question of responsibility for the war. "I feel permitted to declare the judgment of history is already established and the nature of the verdict is such that any attempt to fix responsibility solely upon Germany must fail because it is false."

Austrians.

Vienna, March 9.—Sympathy with Germany in the developments which followed the breaking up of the negotiations between the German delegation and the Allied Council in London was expressed by newspapers here.

The Neue Freie Presse calls the Allied action "war in the midst of peace," while The Mittags Post maintains the advance of Allied forces on German cities will "serve to knit the German people so closely that they will rise above all party strife."

The Mittags Zeitung says: "The German giant may be momentarily down, but he never will forget tortures to which he was subjected."

TO OPPOSE INCREASE IN TELEPHONE RATES

Municipal Councils Throughout Province to Deal With Matter

Strong opposition to the increase in telephone rates proposed in the application made to the Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada by the B. C. Telephone Company, which amount to about fifteen per cent., will be offered by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities it was learned at the City Hall this morning.

A telegram is being sent to the secretary of the Union requesting that the matter be taken up by the various Councils throughout the Province.

Alderman Sangster, in the Mayor's office this morning, spoke strongly against the proposed new scale and recalled that in 1918 the City Council opposed a similar application on the part of the Telephone Company for increased rates.

"I think it is the duty of the City Council to oppose the proposed measure and, personally, I will take every means possible to prevent the increased rates asked for being put into effect.

"In the interests of the city it is our duty to oppose the increases, as we did in 1918. The increases asked for are far too much, amounting to about $18 a year for business telephones and $3 additional per annum for residence telephones."

U. S. ARMY.

Washington, March 9.—A revised list of nominations for promotion of army officers above the rank of major will be submitted by Secretary Weeks to the President

NO APPEAL FROM GERMANY TO LEAGUE

Geneva, March 9.—The League of Nations has received no appeal from Germany against application of the Allied penalties and none is expected, said officials of the League to-day, particularly as Germany is not a member of the League.

MONTREAL MAN NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

Montreal, March 9.—Joseph Ainey was acquitted by a jury yesterday of the charge of murdering Constable Chicoine on January 13.

The trial of Allan Coleman, who was implicated in the crime by a confession made by a prisoner to a Salvation Army officer in Toronto, will begin on Thursday. Coleman was brought here from New Westminster, B. C., where he was serving a two-year term for forgery.

MOVE FOR SMALLER RAILWAY BILL

Costs Too Great, Ottawa Members Say

Frank Warning Given by Hon. J. D. Reid

Ottawa, March 9. — (Canadian Press)—An insistent demand is developing both among Government and Opposition members, for a curtailment of the railway estimates and a reorganization of the whole Canadian National Railway system looking toward a permanent improvement in the financial side of the problem. The sum of $168,000,000 included in the estimates for railway purposes has evidently brought a realization of the seriousness of the situation and this, coupled with the frank warning given by Hon. J. D. Reid in the Commons last night that the railway problem was seriously hindering the growth and progress of Canada, may lead to a general investigation of the whole situation.

Duplication.

Decided opinions were expressed by members this morning that all duplication of lines and services must be done away with immediately, and in addition extremists are advocating doing away with a number of the transcontinental passenger trains and confining the passenger service to local trains serving stated districts.

Yet another opinion was that if necessary the passenger service to the West should be practically turned over to the Canadian Pacific Railway and that the Government should confine itself to the hauling of freight.

Immigration.

Certain members, notably Westerners, are advocating an energetic policy of immigration in order to settle the vast uninhabited areas and thus gradually generate business for the railways, which, they state, have been developed to a point a quarter of a century ahead of the present time. This immigration, they assert, must come from Great Britain and the feeling is that settlers must be carefully selected, with a wall against an influx of hordes from Southern and Central Europe.

It is certain that the railway estimates will have a stormy passage in the House, and while it is generally admitted that the Government is striving for economy, it is felt that action must be taken to prevent the

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ATTACK MADE ON ACCUSED MAN

Woodstock, N. B., March 9.—Charles Steeves, Pentecostal preacher, who was sent up yesterday for trial for an alleged offence against a young girl, was saved from serious bodily harm by the sheriff when the girl's father made a vicious attack on Steeves, who said Steeves had asked permission to marry the girl.

TRADE AGENTS FOR CANADA IN U. S.

The Government's Intentions Asked by W. A. Buchanan

Ottawa, March 9. — (Canadian Press)—The intentions of the Government with regard to the appointment of trade agents in the United States are asked by W. A. Buchanan, Lethbridge, who has given notice that he will ask in the Commons if it has been recommended to the Government that trade agents should be appointed in different sections of the United States in order to develop an export trade with that country, and if so, what steps the Government proposes to take in the matter.

Rolling Stock.

H. O. Wright, Battleford, has given notice that he will inquire of the Government what numbers of cars, locomotives and rolling stock generally were ordered by the Government during the years 1918-19 and 1920. Mr. Wright also asks what was the value of these orders, and from whom such equipment was purchased, with the values of each contract.

Report.

Volumes One and Two of the Auditor-General's report for the fiscal year 1920-21 were tabled in the House yesterday by Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance.

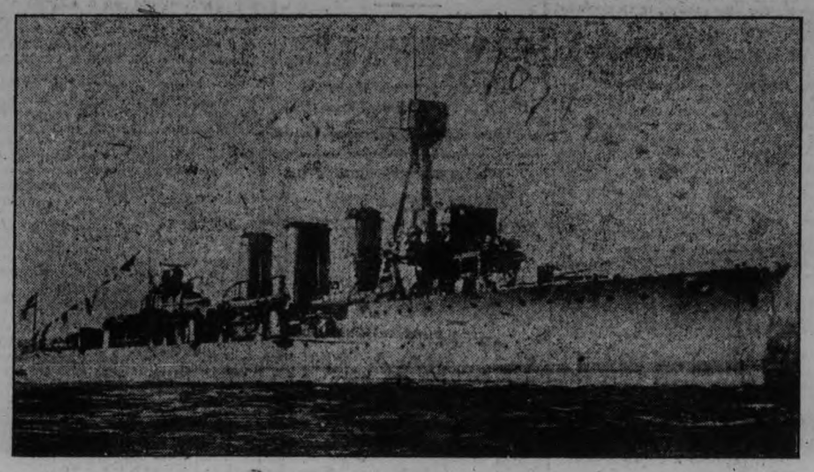
Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Naval Affairs, tabled Orders-in-Council passed between August 12, 1920, and February 14, 1921, in connection with that Department.

Austria Instructed to Hand Over Livestock

Vienna, March 8.—Formal notice that it would be required to fulfill the livestock provisions of the Treaty of St. Germain was served upon the Austrian Government by the Reparations Commission to-day. This involves delivery to Italy, Jugo-Slavia and Roumania of 20,000 head of cattle, including 6,000 milch cows.

The American representatives in the reparations body, before their withdrawal, had, together with the British, opposed such action on the grounds that it was unfair to the countries which are supplying Austria with quantities of milk and fats, and that the nations to which the cattle would go did not actually need the stock.

LEADS CANADIAN FLEET OF WAR



H. M. C. S. AURORA

Mr. Bowser Charged With Imperilling New Liquor Law

Suggestions that the Provincial Government, under the Doherty Act and the Canada Temperance Act, has all the power needed to protect the new Liquor Control Act, prefaced Mr. Bowser's amendment to the Oliver resolution calling upon the Federal Government to pass legislation implementing the Provincial liquor law now in course of enactment, in order to give B. C. complete control over imports

Something in the nature of a political bomb-shell was thrown into the Legislative arena by the Conservative leader, who, in a mild manner and after considerable explanation, moved his amend-

ment, only to call forth from the Attorney-General a charge that Mr. Bowser was doing his best, in the face of the wishes of the people, to embarrass the Government, and "save the face of that decadent bunch at Ottawa."

Mr. Bowser's resolution cited that the Minister of Justice had informed the Provincial authorities that they had the necessary authority to control importation. He included the sections of the Federal acts which he claimed substantiated his statements. The final paragraph of the resolution reads:

"Therefore be it resolved that this House is of the opinion that it is unnecessary to request the Federal Parliament to enact further legislation providing for the prohibition of the importing of liquor into this Province, and that all necessary clauses be added to bill No. 12 now before this Legislature, being a bill entitled the 'Government Liquor Act,' in order to provide that it shall be illegal to bring, carry or import into this Province any intoxicating liquor except through the agency of the Provincial Government and thereby take advantage of the provisions of the said Chapter 19."

Only to Enhance Revenue?

Mr. Bowser in discussing his amendment and the resolution of the Premier, said he thought the motive actuating Hon. Mr. Oliver was to have a complete monopoly of the liquor traffic, with a view to enhancing the revenue. If the guiding principle of the resolution was the idea of stopping blind-pigging, then the House might be enthusiastic, said the Opposition leader.

He referred to the correspondence passing between Premier Oliver, Premier Meighen and the Minister of Justice, saying that this showed that the Province had the power desired. Why, then, go farther and ask the House to pass a unanimous resolution calling upon Ottawa for implementing legislation? Mr. Bowser asked.

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UNITED STATES AND DISARMAMENT

Japanese Papers Comment on American Views

Tokio, March 9.—The United States must be willing to make some sacrifice on behalf of the principle of disarmament advocated by President Harding in his inaugural speech, declares the militarist Kokumin Shimbun, in commenting on Mr. Harding's address.

"Otherwise no power would accept his suggestions," continues the newspaper. "Disarmament must be mutual, and no country caring for peace will oppose it."

Other newspapers here commented more on the controversy regarding the island of Yap than on Mr. Harding's inauguration address. It appears to be the consensus of opinion that Japan should insist upon the mandate given her, but should make some concession regarding cable communication.

ARREST FOLLOWS MADRID MURDER

Youth Accused of Murdering Premier Dato

Madrid, March 9.—Police search for the assassin who shot and fatally wounded Premier Eduardo Dato last night has resulted in one arrest and an order for detention of all motorcycles and automobiles. A youth named Julian is held as a suspect.

An official report says it is believed the assassins are Syndicalists

Witnesses of the shooting say two motorcycles were employed, one blocking the Premier's automobile as it approached his residence and the other carrying the assassins.

Functions Suspended.

Public functions throughout Spain have been suspended.

Senor Dato died in a dispensary. Physicians found that one bullet had entered his forehead and passed through both jaws and a third entered his back almost directly behind the heart. His hat was pierced by several bullets.

Senora Dato and her three daughters arrived at the hospital too late to see the Premier alive.

Horrified.

Madrid, March 9.—This city was horrified last night when it became known that Eduardo Dato, Premier and Minister of Marine, had been assassinated while returning to his home from a late session of the Spanish Senate. Immediately after the news was received in official quarters arrangements were made to carry on the Government until a new Premier could be appointed by King Alfonso.

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PRESCRIPTION OF LIQUOR IN U. S.

Washington, March 9.—The Government is without authority to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor, wines or beer for non-beverage purposes, according to a ruling made by the Attorney-General and published to-day by the Internal Revenue Bureau.

The opinion expressly states there must be no limitation on the use of liquors except that prescribed by Congress in limiting the sale of spirituous liquors to one pint for ten days. The question of limitation, according to the opinion, thus is left to the good faith of the physician.

U. S. RAILROADS TO CUT WAGES

Chicago, March 9.—Information received at local headquarters of the railway labor department of the American Federation of Labor indicates that virtually every large railroad in the country is preparing to put wage reductions into effect for all its employees, N. J. Jewel, chairman of the committee, said in discussing the proposed reduction announced by the Pennsylvania Lines.

ORGE NECESSITY OF ARTS SCHOOL

Delegation Asks Minister For Grant of $30,000

Establishment of an arts and crafts school in the British Columbia was urged upon Hon. J. D. Maclean, Minister of Education, this morning by a deputation from the B. C. Art League. The Minister replied that the estimates for this year had been prepared, but said he would give careful consideration to the plan, with which he had much sympathy, before the next session of the Legislature.

The deputation, which was introduced by Mrs. Ralph Smith, Liberal member for Vancouver, consisted of Bernard McEvoy, B. J. du Bois, Moses B. Cotsworth, A. Burgess Beach and Casimir Dickson, of Vancouver; Dr. Edward Hasell, of the Island Arts and Crafts Association here; F. B. Pemberton, president of the Arts and Industrial Institute of British Columbia, and Mrs. Dennis Harris. M. A. Macdonald, Liberal member for Vancouver, and David Whiteside, Liberal member for New Westminster, were present at the interview and expressed themselves as favorable to the objects sought by the delegation. They promised their support to the project if it should come up in the Legislature.

Arts and Crafts.

The time has arrived in the industrial development of British Columbia when the Province required an arts and crafts school, Bernard McEvoy, first vice-president of the Art League, told the Minister. There were, he said, between six and seven hundred manufacturing industries in Vancouver alone and an institution which would train young men and women to apply art and craftsmanship to articles produced by many of these establishments was a real necessity. He pointed out that the Art League had a wide membership and enjoyed the hearty support of organized labor.

It was suggested to the Minister that the proposed school should be governed by a body including representatives of business, art, the city, the Province and the societies interested. Such a body, it was thought, could manage the institution more satisfactorily than could the School Board. It would cost about $30,000 to start the school, it was stated.

The Art League, it was pointed out, was not asking for money for itself but had interested itself in the matter simply because it felt that an arts and crafts school should be established in British Columbia.

PROPOSED TEACHERS' STRIKE POSTPONED

Calgary, March 9.—According to a request of Mayor Adams and Mr. Osborne, president of the Rotary Club, the Teachers' Alliance executive has agreed to a postponement of the teachers' strike for one week from Friday and in the meantime every effort will be exhausted to get the Board and the Alliance together again on the subject of salaries.

White Ruthenians Now Break Away From Russia

Warsaw, March 9.—The White Ruthenians have proclaimed their independence from Russia, according to a Minsk report received here to-day.

(The Ruthenians meant are probably those inhabiting what is known as White Russia, comprising the Southwestern Russian provinces centring upon Minsk.)

Copenhagen, March 9.—News of the Russian situation to-day was conflicting, with the latest Helsingfors dispatches reporting that the Soviet Government forces had recaptured the fortresses of Krasnoya Gorko and Systerbak this morning and were training the big guns upon Kronstadt, where fires were observed.

An infantry assault by Soviet troops upon Kronstadt was reported to have been repulsed with enormous losses to the attacking forces.

These reports were preceded by claims made in Helsingfors dispatches that Petrograd was in the hands of the revolutionaries. According to a Reval message, however, the Soviet troops recaptured the southeastern suburbs of Petrograd. Thousands of fugitives from Petrograd are clamoring for entry into Finland, the Finnish advices state.

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Fleet Pays Visit For First Time to Pacific Navy Base

H. M. C. S. Aurora Heads Squadron Into Esquimalt Harbor; Messages of Greetings Are Sent By Leading Citizens.

Not since the halcyon days prior to 1905 when the British squadron was stationed on the British Columbia coast has Esquimalt Harbor beheld such a truly British naval scene as that witnessed to-day with the arrival of the nucleus of Canada's navy. In the interim modern ships of war have visited the historic naval port, but what stands out most conspicuously in the advent of the Canadian fleet is the step that it marks towards the rehabilitation of Esquimalt as an active naval base.

All Victoria turned out this afternoon to give a right royal welcome to Captain Henry Adams and his gallant seamen as the units of the Canadian navy steamed into the harbor after completing the long voyage from Halifax.

Fleet In Line.

The fleet in line, with the light cruiser Aurora steaming majestically in the vanguard, and the destroyers Patriot and Patrician in her wake, swept gracefully into Esquimalt Harbor to the accompaniment of naval salutes, the shrieking of whistles and cheers from the assembled crowds lining the shores contiguous to the naval base.

It marked the completion of that memorable cruise from Devonport, England, in December last, the initial stage of which was terminated by the arrival of the fleet at Halifax, N.S., at Christmas.

Clearing from the California port of San Diego on Saturday the fleet made a good run up the coast, and passed in the Straits at 8.40 o'clock this morning.

Greetings by Radio.

Wireless messages of welcome were flashed to the H. M. C. S. Aurora as she was plowing her way up the Straits, from the Provincial Government, the City of Victoria, the Chamber of Commerce and the Canadian Club. The radio message from the Provincial Government read: "To Captain Henry. G. R. Adams, C. B. E., R. N., H. M. C. S. Aurora: "On behalf of the Government of British Columbia and His Majesty's loyal subjects therein, we welcome His Majesty's Royal Canadian Navy on its first visit to the shores of the Pacific." (Signed) John Oliver, Premier of British Columbia.

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce flashed, "The Victoria Chamber of Commerce extends welcome to Canadian squadron." (Signed) J. H. Beatty, president.

The city's message was as follows: "Mayor and Aldermen, on behalf the City of Victoria, the capital city of the Province of British Columbia, extend to the officers and men of Canada's ships of war a hearty and cordial welcome to our shores. It is but fitting that the City of Victoria, with its old associations, attached to the Esquimalt naval station, so long and actively used by the British Navy, should renew those associations and welcome the new Canadian Navy to the Canadian Pacific naval base." (Signed) Robert J. Porter, Mayor.

People Thanked.

Shortly afternoon to-day Premier Oliver received the following reply from Captain Adams, fleet commander:

"The Canadian squadron sends greetings to the Government and people of British Columbia, and thank all for the kindly welcomes it is receiving." (Signed) Captain Henry G. R. Adams.

Navy League's Welcome.

An illuminated scroll has been prepared, embracing the following message of welcome from the British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba divisions of the Navy League, which will be read aboard the Aurora by H. J. Davis, president B. C. Division:

"It is indeed not only a great honor but a special privilege to welcome you on behalf of the four Western Divisions of the Navy League of Canada, viz.: Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, on your safe arrival in British Columbia waters.

Your presence in these waters is a forerunner of great events, and marks the evolution of National progress, and is an added proof that Canadians fully appreciate the building of an Empire in the developments and protection of which sea power is the first essential.

In the new naval squadron, we have the keel upon which to build a navy adequate both to our National needs and to Empire requirements in respect of naval defence, and in this direction we must see that this great opportunity is not neglected. When we see such ships as your fleet, we are justly proud of the history of our navy, and it remains with us individually and collectively to do all in our power to maintain that "Sure Shield" which has so effectively guarded our shores. In this connection, the Navy League of Canada has undertaken the very important task of spreading information, showing the vital importance to the British Empire of the maintenance of an adequate navy, and to organize and encourage Boys' Naval Brigades for the purpose of instructing the youth of our country and preparing them for service in the Navy and mercantile marine. The squadron which we now have the honor to welcome is the

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PLAN TO LIMIT STUDENT BODY

B. C. University Officials to Interview Government

Vancouver, March 9.—Members of the board of governors of the University of British Columbia last night battled with the problem of keeping within the estimates and at the same time providing for a rapidly-increasing student body.

Two alternatives are to be presented to the Provincial Government. One is to fix the number of students entering the University at 800; the other is to make the limit 900. To-day 962 students attend the University.

The Chancellor, Dr. R. A. McKechnie, presided at the meeting and there were in attendance: R. L. Reid, Mr. Justice Murphy, R. P. McLennan, Dr. S. D. Scott and Dr. Fraser, of Victoria.

As it now stands the amount apportioned to the University is $445,000.

To Senate.

When it was suggested that higher tuition fees would help meet the difficulty a discussion ensued which wound up by having the matter of fees referred to the Senate.

President Klinck will prepare for the Minister of Education suggestions for revising the estimates so that the University may be able to continue to function at something near maximum efficiency.

The President and Mr. Reid were chosen delegates to go to Victoria and discuss with the Government and the School Board of Victoria the question of affiliation with the University of the Victoria College.

NEW LAND TAXES URGED IN MANITOBA

Winnipeg, March 9.—Imposition of progressive land taxes with the object of facilitating the breaking up of land monopolies was urged by F. J. Dixon, leader of the Labor group, in a resolution submitted to the Legislature last night. Discussion was adjourned.

A. E. Smith, Labor member for Brandon, urged the overnment to take action, either separately or in conjunction with the other Provincial Governments, to have the desire for the enactment of direct legislation established constitutionally.

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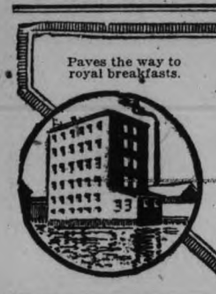

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TO END STRIKES AND LOCKOUTS

Law For Quebec Municipalities and Employees

Quebec, March 9.—The Gallipeault Bill, intended to put an end to lockouts and strikes in municipal services in Quebec, was put through the Legislature last night.

This new law will apply only to policemen, firemen, waterworks employees and employees in charge of the incineration of garbage. It will apply to municipalities having at least ten persons in their employ. It will apply to all disputes regarding wages, working hours or dismissals on account of membership in any labor union. Under this law it will be unlawful for any employer to declare a lockout or for any employee to strike without having submitted the dispute to a board of arbitration.

Fines.

The law provides for a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1,000 on employers declaring or causing a lockout for every day or part day that such lockout lasts. It also provides for a fine of not less than $10 and not more than $50 on each employee going on strike contrary to the law, for every day or part of a day that such employee remains on strike. Any person who incites, encourages or aids any employer or employee to break the law shall be liable to a fine of not less than $50 and not more than $1,000.

MOVIES CAUSE OF CHARGE IN FRANCE

Andre Himmel Said to Have Misused Funds

Paris, March 9.—Andre Himmel, reputed general manager of the Franco - American Cinematograph Corporation, was held to-day on a charge of having misused more than a million francs invested in the corporation by a Frenchman named R. M. Rivary, who caused the arrest of Himmel at Havre on his arrival from New York.

Himmel at his preliminary examination yesterday, contended he had acted in good faith in connection with the corporation and that he would have fulfilled his promises if American associates had not defaulted on their agreements at the last moment.

Himmel last July announced the incorporation of the Franco-American Cinematograph Corporation in Delaware. He explained that the company was formed to facilitate the exchange of films between Europe and the United States. Among prominent Frenchmen interested were said to be M. Viviani, former Premier, and Baron de Rothschild.

MURDER CHARGE.

Moncton, N. B., March 9.—Ezekiel Berry, forty-seven, a farmer of Forest Hill, was brought to Moncton last night on a charge of killing his wife, Minnie Berry, forty-six, on December 12 last. At the time of Mrs. Berry's death it was said she had fallen in a well.

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DISABLED SOLDIERS FORMING GROUP

Vancouver, March 9.—A new soldiers' organization likely to have a membership of 6,000 disabled returned men, and to be the only one of its kind in the Dominion, is about to be formed in Vancouver as a result of a meeting in the Auditorium of the Great War Veterans' Association, attended by members of the Amputation Club and other veterans' bodies, as well as representatives of the local hospitals attending disability cases.

The proposed name for the organization is the Disabled Soldiers' Association, and its chief aim will be to further the interests of all men, whether on pension or not, suffering from wounds or other disabilities contracted during the war.

It is estimated that there are more than 6,000 disabled men in receipt of pensions in and around Vancouver.

FORD COMPANY OFFICIALS RESIGN

Windsor, Ont., March 9.—B. R. McKenzie, general purchasing agent of the Ford Motor Company of Canada, and W. G. Wells, of the superintendent's staff, have resigned, it was announced yesterday. Neither announced his reason for retirement.

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CONSIDER NAMING MINISTER TO U. S.

Ottawa Cabinet Members Discussing Appointment

Ottawa, March 9. — Premier Meighen informed Hon. Charles Murphy in the Commons last evening that the Government was still considering the appointment of a Canadian representative at Washington. No representations had been made to the Government in this connection by Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador at Washington, or by any other representative of the British Government.

F. H. Keefer, Port Arthur and Kenora, moved a resolution asking the appointment of a special committee of the House to investigate the benefits to be derived from a deep waterway for transportation from the Great Lakes to the sea by way of the St. Lawrence River.

Mr. Keefer assured the Western members that his scheme would in no way conflict with the Hudson Bay Railway. The benefits to be derived from the deep waterway included a substantial reduction of freight rates, a shorter, faster and cheaper haul for all classes of freight, but principally prairie wheat.

Mr. Crerar.

Hon. T. A. Crerar, while in favor of means of developing transportation, suggested tabling the motion one year, or until the financial condition of Canada was improved.

Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, said that the development of means and transportation was vital to the progress of Canada, and especially for the Western provinces.

With the possibility that the report of the International Joint Commission on the subject would be before the House this session, Dr. Reid suggested that Mr. Keefer withdraw his motion.

TAXATION PLAN IN GREAT BRITAIN

Labor Committee Urges Wealth Bear Burden

London, March 9.—(Canadian Associated Press).—A proposal to raise £4,000,000,000 by means of a graduated levy on all forms of accumulated wealth for the purpose of substantially reducing the national debt is the feature of a second interim report of the Joint Labor Committee which is inquiring into the causes of the high cost of living in the United Kingdom.

"The burden of interest and sinking fund on the remainder of the debt should, in the opinion of the Committee, rest on the propertied classes.

"We suggest that persons whose aggregate possessions from all sources are valued at less than £5,000 should be exempted from payment of the levy," it says.

"A levy on accumulated wealth must be graduated. We believe that a scale varying from one per cent. on total possessions above the exemption level of £5,000 up to fifty per cent. on the largest fortunes could be made to yield £4,000,000,000. The proceeds of the levy should be used as follows:

"(a.) Where the levy was paid in Government securities it would result in direct cancellation of those securities.

"(b.) The proceeds derived from the payment of the levy in other forms would be devoted in the first place to the extinction of the floating debt.

"(c.) The next priority should be given to the repayment of the external debt.

"(d.) The remaider of the yield of the levy should be devoted, as it was paid, to the cancellation of the remainder of the internal debt.

"We are stongly of the opinion," continues the report, "that all taxes on foodstuffs should be abolished. The taxes on tobacco should be reduced by half, and the entertainments tax should be abolished.

"We are opposed to the continuance of the Excess Profits Duty, and to the proposal to levy a special tax on business firms. We believe that the income tax and super tax should form the basis of our system of direct taxation.

"As regards income tax, we are of the opinion that allowances for dependents should be more generous, and that the exemption level should be raised. Sources of income which are at present untapped should be brought within the scope of the tax."

RESOLUTION AGAINST CATTLE EMBARGO

London, March 9.—About 700 of an audience attended the meeting to protest last night against the embargo on the importation of Canadian cattle and a resolution opposing the embargo was carried unanimously. Lord Beaverbrook presided, and speeches, mostly on lines covering the now familiar arguments against the embargo, were delivered by Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, the Labor leader; Commander Kenworthy and James Wilson, the Laborite, who has just defeated Sir Arthur Griffith Boscawen, Minister of Agriculture.

Hon. Manning Doherty, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, had a star place among the speakers, and made special reference to London newspapers attacking him in regard to his attitude on the embargo.

Mr. Doherty proceeded to prove that Canada possessed a clear bill of health for thirty years of official records, and denied the charge of disease as one of the most unmitigated falsehoods ever uttered.

Mr. Doherty readily admitted the matter was one for negotiation between Great Britain and the Federal authorities. He was only a Provincial Minister and had no official status here, but surely, he claimed, he had a right to discuss the matter as an ordinary private citizen.

Lord Beaverbrook said he would give a warning to this country. "Your pledge is valued and esteemed in the country I was born in (Canada). "Your pledge is trusted there. If it is not fulfilled, I believe the consequences will be disastrous to the prestige of Great Britain in her Dominion on the American continent."

Mrs. George Dewey, widow of Admiral Dewey, has given $1,000 to the Woman's Roosevelt Association.

MANY AMERICANS WORK IN MEXICO

Mexican Workmen's Organizations Are Complaining

Mexico City, March 9.—An influx of American labor to Mexico, especially to the oil regions, is causing much concern to Government officials, who are receiving complaints daily from Mexican workmen's organizations that the presence of the foreigners is working a hardship on native labor.

It is asserted that unemployment in the United States has caused thousands of Mexicans to return to the Republic, many of them in destitute circumstances. Arriving here, they find large numbers of Americans holding the jobs which, they declare, rightfully belong to them.

Moreover, in the oil fields American labor has practically supplanted native workmen and the charge has been made publicly by labor representatives that the Americans in these regions are fully armed and are on "war basis" for the ostensible purpose of protecting foreign holdings.

A fantastic charge made in this connection is that these workmen are, in reality, United States soldiers who have been placed here "to watch eventualities."

M'MASTER'S BILL DEFEATED AT OTTAWA

Would Have Affected Cabinet Ministers' Companies

Ottawa, March 9.—The bill presented by A. R. McMaster, Brome, to require Cabinet Ministers to resign any directorships they may hold in incorporated companies, was defeated in the Commons last evening, the vote being 54 for second reading and 105 against.

During the debate H. H. Stevens, Vancouver, declared the measure was unwise, and would only tend to crowd already over-filled statute books. It was impossible to make men honorable by such means. It would still be possible for Cabinet Ministers, after resigning from directorships, to continue to hold stock in companies.

If it was dangerous to the public for Cabinet Ministers to be members of directorates, it was a still greater danger to permit corporation counsel to be members of Parliament.

Business Men.

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, in attacking the bill, said it was a rare thing to find big business men in Parliament. When the state did call them, there was only one thing for business men to do, and that was to put their public duties before their private affairs.

Dr. Michael Clark, Red Deer, though in sympathy with the purpose of the bill, expressed his grave doubts as to the wisdom of enacting such a law. He preferred to leave the question to the good sense and highmindedness of men in public life, rather than to the strong arm of the law.

Mr. Meighen.

The Prime Minister said he disapproved of the bill, although it did not affect him personally. "The Parliamentary Guide," said Mr. Meighen, credited him with a directorate of a firm in Western Canada, but he was sorry to say that firm went into liquidation twelve years ago, and he had not ventured since.

The time might come when the principle involved in the bill would be a matter of course, but Mr. Meighen did not think that time was ripe.

Mr. Crerar.

Hon. T. A. Crerar disagreed with Mr. McMaster on this issue. Personally, he had resigned his private business interests when he joined the Borden Government. Those things should be left to the higher-mindedness of a man called to the high dignity of a Cabinet position.

A. R. McMaster, winding up the debate, spoke at times in a jocular manner.

"The Prime Minister," he said, "says we want to impose celibacy on Cabinet Ministers. We do not."

"I am told it would be a difficult job at this time," he added amid much laughter.

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POTASH SHIPPED FROM ALSACE

Mines Have Been Restored by French

New York, March. 9.—The potash mines of Alsace, which before the war were operated by the Germans but now are under French control, have been restored to working order and France has again become a rival of Germany in the world's markets as a producer of this fertilizing agent, says French agents here. Prior to the war, the Germans controlled virtually the only source of the world's supply of potash and while the great conflict was in progress farmers everywhere suffered from lack of it.

With the restoration of Alsace to France, French engineers began the work of restoring the mines to activity and after two years of effort, now announce that new machinery has been installed, the extraction shafts repaired and refining plants put in working order.

The Alsace potash beds are believed to be the richest in the world, containing more than 3,000,000 tons of pure potash and, according to estimates, are capable of supplying the entire world for more than three centuries. The mines occupy a field lying near Mulhouse. In the mine corridors the crystalline salts are seen lying in horizontal strips of red, white, pink and grey, so alternating as to give the impression of an immense flag.

CARTAGE RATES NOT DECIDED BY BOARD

Ottawa, March 9.—Cartage tariffs of the railway companies do not come within the purview of the Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada. A former finding of the Board in 1919, that cartage service is not a railway facility over which the Board has jurisdiction, is reaffirmed in a judgment handed down by the Board yesterday.

The judgment arises out of a recent hearing of a complaint of the Toronto Board of Trade against cartage tariffs of the railways made effective September 1, 1919. It was contended that an amendment to Section 312 of the Railway Act, dealing with "incidental service," was intended to give the Board jurisdiction over cartage service. The Board decides that this amendment to the Act is not meant to include cartage service.

For the first time in the history of Italy a woman lawyer has pleaded before a court. She is Signora Elisa Orsi Comani, who defended before a military tribunal, a corporal accused of cowardice during the war. She made such an eloquent plea for the boy's acquittal that the jury not only brought in a verdict in favor of the boy but complimented her for her excellent knowledge of the law.

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SPRACKLIN WILL SPEAK IN ONTARIO

Windsor, Ont., March 8.—Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin, acquitted recently in Sandwich on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the killing of Beverley Trumble, to-day definitely announced he will tour Ontario to speak in favor of the new prohibition law to be voted on in April.

Claim Telephone Costs Increased Enormously

In its formal application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for rate increases averaging fifteen per cent., the B. C. Telephone Company sets forth that labor costs have increased seventy per cent. and material costs ninety-four per cent. in the last few years. Moreover, it is asserted, $3,000,000 is required by the company for construction work this year and next year. An additional annual net revenue of $400,000 is essential, the company states.

The company has forwarded to the Railway Commission with its formal application exhaustive tables showing costs, deficits and other statistics to prove its contentions.

Increase In Cost

Taking the year 1914 as a base the cost of all the elements entering into the construction, extension, maintenance and operation of a telephone system, has increased on the average almost ninety per cent. And while during the past few months there has been a slight decrease in general commodities, this is not applicable in any appreciable degree to the costs of telephone material and is not at all applicable to labor costs which comprise at least seventy-five per cent. of the cost of construction and operation of a telephone system. The foregoing, together with the fact that the company's system has grown extensively during the past few years, and will, immediately new facilities are available, grow still more rapidly, and as it is a well-known and established fact that the cost of telephone service is on an inverse ratio compated with almost any other service, the applicant now finds that in order to provide efficient service, take care of deferred maintenance, make adequate provision for depreciation of plant and pay a fair return on capital invested, it will require an additional annual net revenue of $397,469.83.

Appraisal Made

An inventory and appraisal of the physical properties operated by the company was commenced in the early part of May, 1917, and completed September, 1918. The appraisal was based upon the average actual labor and material costs during the period of ten years immediately preceding the inventory.

The company claims that the proper basis upon which to calculate the return which should be derived from its property is the actual cost of such property as shown by the additions from the completion of the inventory to date, less the amount of depreciation reserve invested in the property. Upon such net amount it is claimed there should be a return of eight per cent. plus two per cent. to secure and attract capital toward the enterprise for the provision of necessary extensions and general increase of telephone facilities.

Cost of Operation.

For the fiscal year ending March 31, 1921, the company's operating revenue, based on nine months (April to December inclusive) actual operations and three months (January to March inclusive) estimated operations, will be inadequate to provide for operation, maintenance, depreciation and return on its investments in plant and equipment etc., for the use of the public, as will be apparent from the following statement: Value of plant and equipment etc., as at November 30, 1920 after deducting reserve for depreciation, $5,907,253.58.

Return of ten per cent. per annum on above $590,725.35; Return of eight per cent. per annum on working capital of $250,000, $20,000; Total $610,725.35.

Net telephone operating revenues for eight months ending November 30, 1920 $159,941.64; on the same basis for twelve months $213,255.52.

Deficit $397,469.83.

In order to meet the increased demand for telephone service throughout the territory served by the company and in order to rearrange its present plant; take care of its growth and provide the necessary additional facilities, the company must without delay arrange for further financing upon a large scale. In view of the high cost of raising capital at this time, and in order to attract and secure capital in the open market, where at present it is costing governments and municipalities seven to eight per cent., the company must be in a position to show that the rates which it is authorized to charge are sufficient to defray all operating, maintenance and depreciation costs and provide a reasonable return on the capital invested with a fair margin for contingencies.

"With Rigorous Economy"

The company has borne its fair share to the amount of $1,263,429.51 of the high cost of labor and materials due to abnormal conditions created by the recent war and particularly since the armistice to date. It is also further evident from the foregoing that the company is in need of immediate relief to the extent of the amount asked for, viz., $397,469.83, both in the interests of the applicant shareholders and the public in the territory which it serves.

During the war period the operation of the applicant's system was conducted with rigorous economy, particularly in plant maintenance, owing to the shortage of experienced labor and since the armistice to date, owing to the continued scarcity and high cost of material, all new construction and replacements, except those most urgently needed, have been deferred in the hope that the cost of materials would reach a normal level. In this it has been disappointed and has now to spend an additional sum estimated at $100,000 in order to bring its plant up to its standard of maintenance.

Owing to the great difficulty in securing materials for further extensions and in order to meet the abnormal post war demands for service, which is so particularly noticeable in Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster, North Vancouver, Nanaimo and other of the larger exchanges served by the company and which have made such a remarkable post war recovery and are still increasing rapidly in importance, population and volume of business transacted, the company has found it necessary to use every available piece of equipment, the result being that at the present moment at company's plant in these districts, has reached the maximum of its earning capacity. Further extensions will necessitate extensive rearragements, owing to the emergency provision of temporary facilities, which would not have been necessary had conditions been anything near normal.

Immediate Needs

The amount necessary to be expended by the company on plant and equipment during the years 1921 and 1922, amounts to approximately $3,000,000, apportioned as follows:

New automatic exchange equipment $600,000, New submarine cable and toll lines $400,000, New buildings and extensions to present buildings $300,000, central office equipment (swbd. etc.) $600,000, extensions to aerial and underground plant and additional subscribers stations equipment, etc., $1,100,000. Total, $3,000,000.

Pressure On Reserve

During the past few years very few replacements have been made in the company's plant and the reserve accrued for depreciation, obsolescence and inadequacy has been used for extensions to its system. The benefits of this policy have been accrued to the users of the company's service by giving them the use of this reserve, invested in plant extensions on which no interest had to be provided. This use of the reserve fund must soon cease to a large extent owing to the necessity of making extensive replacements, particularly in Central office equipment, owing to obsolescence and inadequacy.

As the standard of living and the cost of all commodities have advanced rapidly during the past few years, it has been necessary for the company to increase greatly wages payable to its employees. Using the year 1914 as a base, the average overall increase in labor cost to date is 70 per cent.

Labor and Materials.

During the period 1914 to date, the company was granted an increase in rates applicable to business telephones only, which went into effect in August, 1918. This increase, based on the number of business telephones in use to date, equals an annual increase in revenue of 5.2 per cent.

From the foregoing it is evident that during the period 1914 to date the company has had to cope with a seventy per cent. increase in labor and a ninety-four per cent. increase in cost of materials, while in the year 1918 an increase in rates of 5.2 per cent. was granted.

The applicant estimates that the increased rates provided for by the tariff herewith submitted will produce approximately $397,425 which amount, based on the gross earnings for December, 1920, $220,434.32 or $2,645,211.84 per annum, would equal an average increase of 15.02 per cent. over the rates at present authorized.

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MR. BOWSER CHARGED WITH IMPERILLING NEW LIQUOR LAW

(Continued from page 1.)

Dealing in detail with the Doherty Act, Mr. Bowser said it was an offence not to label liquor and it was also provided that two justices of the peace or stipendiary magistrates could order confiscation of liquor held in contravention to Provincial statutes. The gist of his argument was that the Doherty Act and the Canada Temperance Act were for the purpose of supporting liquor legislation passed by the Provinces.

Mr. Bowser's Way Out

Mr. Bowser suggested that the ground would be fully covered if a section were put in the new act making it illegal for a person to possess liquor not purchased from the Government. And since the Premier had suggested on Monday that the commissioners would secure special brands of liquor to accommodate individual tastes, there should be little difficulty in having all liquor purchased from the Government stores, said Mr. Bowser.

Says Ottawa Won't Act.

The Leader of the Opposition referred to the fears of the member for New Westminster as expressed on Monday by Mr. Whiteside. These were in effect that the law would never become effective. If this were found to be the case, said Mr. Bowser, then the "buck might be passed to Ottawa" again. In the meantime, he said, full control of the situation rested in the hands of the Government.

Mr. Bowser then submitted his resolution, Mr. M. B. Jackson asking him if he thought the passing of the Oliver resolution would in any way weaken the hands of the Legislature.

"Ottawa won't act," said Mr. Bowser.

"That is not answering my question," said Mr. Jackson.

Within B. C.'s Powers

"Ottawa has already intimated that the Province has all the power necessary and we have it within our own powers to pass an effective law," said Mr. Bowser.

"My question is still unanswered," said the Islands member, to which the Opposition leader replied: "I can't make it any clearer than that."

David Whiteside of New Westminster, asked if the provisions of the Doherty Act would apply when the Provincial prohibition act was repealed. Mr. Bowser said it would.

Attorney-General Disappointed

Speaking to the amendment, Hon Mr. Farris called the attention of the House to a letter he had read, a letter from the Minister of Justice to Premier Oliver, in which it was suggested that the provisions of the Doherty Act were sufficient for the Province's needs.

"I must say I approach this discussion with some embarrassment and disappointment," said the Attorney-General. "I took the statement of the member for Esquimalt, to the effect that all should work towards the enactment of a sound law, as an indication that all the members of the House would get down to work in an earnest determination to secure a good act. I was expecting the cooperation of the Opposition. Now, I want to say that a unanimous resolution from this House to Ottawa would be a sound basis for success and that the Minister of Justice, Hon. Mr. Doherty, would have been favorable.

Wasting Time

"The member for the Islands just put a question to the Leader of the Opposition which was not answered. Mr. Bowser will not say that the Government would be weakened if a resolution were sent. I think a great deal of good would result. The Leader of the Opposition says it is no use wasting time, but I say that if he had supported the Premier's resolution the discussion would have been over and by this time the resolution would have been on the wire."

The Attorney-General said that while he did not wish to stand upon his legal opinions entirely, as they might be wrong, still he felt certain that the Province did not have the right to control importation under the Doherty Act.

Doubt's B. C's. Legal Rights.

"I offer no criticism of the Doherty Act," he added. "But I do say that it never made good. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. With prohibition in Canada for years under the Doherty Act how far did any Province get? I also question the soundness of the act from a legal point of view."

The Attorney-General referred to Mr. Bowser's claim that the Province had the right to control importations. This was not true, argued Hon. Mr. Farris, who said the situation was like permitting a boy to go swimming but warning him not to go near the water. The matter had been seriously considered, he said.

"Council's advice had been taken and I feel there is as much doubt about the legal right of the Province to control the importation of liquor as there is about the constitutionality of a tax of $2.5o per quart on all liquor not purchased from the government," he went on.

Tried to Pass New Act.

The Attorney-General added that the history of the liquor traffic for the past five years confirmed his remarks regarding the ineffectiveness of the Doherty Act. And if, he added, the Doherty Act were effective, why the passing of the Canada Temperance Act in 1919? This was an act passed to conform to the wishes of any Province, particularly where a Province had decided through a referendum for prohibition. The senate vetoed this bill, though, said Hon. Mr. Farris, and the prohibitionists had protested against it.

He explained that the Privy Council was the court of last resort and the Province did not want to find itself in the position of being unable to enforce its law. Ottawa could surely have no objection to amending the present Federal act so as to give British Columbia citizens the right to control importations under Government control, when power to prevent imports had been given Provinces voting for prohibition.

Referendum Unnecessary

"It comes back to this," said Hon. Mr. Farris. "We are arguing in a circle and trying to lift ourselves by our boot-straps. I cannot understand why the Opposition leader should thus repudiate the stand taken by his follower the member for Esquimalt. What is the use of trying to bolster up a piece of legislation which has lain dormant for years?"

He said some might say that a referendum should be taken. Why was this necessary, he asked, when the people had already spoken on the question and in no uncertain voice.

Imperilling Act At Start

Hon. Mr. Farris expressed regret that the new act was being imperilled at its very inception by the attitude of the Leader of the Opposition.

In support of his contention that the Doherty Act did not give the Province the required powers, he quoted from statements made in the Federal House by the Minister of Justice. In March Hon. Mr. Doherty had said that the Province could not control. Later he announced that the Doherty Act did not cover importation and manufacture in Ontario. Again in November, said the Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. Doherty had said: "Certainly the Province cannot be said to have the power to control importations."

Want Effective Legislation

"Surely this is enough to explain the dangerous ground we would be on if we did not have support from Ottawa," said Hon. Mr. Farris.

"The Leader of Opposition has said that Premier Oliver is after revenue. That is not so. As Attorney-General and the Minister more directly affected by this measure than any other, I want to say we are not after the paltry dollars, but we want to provide an effective law. The Premier in his manifesto said that Ottawa would be petitioned for supporting legislation. That is now being done, but there is a deliberate attempt to embarrass the Government through these spacious statements of the Opposition."

Useless Without Permits

The Attorney-General referred to remarks of Opposition members regarding permits and their cancellation for infringement. He wanted to know what good this would do if a man could turn up his nose at the authorities and go to Montreal or even to Scotland and import what he wanted. If a car of whisky were seized, he pointed out, could the officials open a bottle and ask it for its destination?

In conclusion he expressed his regret that the House was not going to stand solidly behind the resolution proposed by the Premier.

M. A. Macdonald moved the adjournment of the debate.

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WHAT NEXT?

To what extent the Allied Supreme Council intends to apply pressure to Germany now that the prescribed area has been occupied by its military forces may not be determined until the full significance of the advance has been allowed to penetrate the German mind.

It is fortunate that the native population in the three cities now under Allied control has conformed to the wishes of President Ebert in extending a greeting of "austere dignity" to the invading troops. If this frigid atmosphere is maintained and the people accept the new conditions Germany's cause will be better served and the prospects of capitulation will be more substantial. Any attempt at obstruction would be uncomfortable for conquered and conquerors alike.

Labor does not appear to be in the mood for anything in the nature of a demonstration although workmen in the Essen district are reported to be in an ugly frame of mind. What they can do which might in any way improve their condition or even embarrass the Allied troops is not apparent at the moment. To run counter to the instructions of General de Gouette would simply mean the usual punishment that an invading army may inflict under such conditions as those which demand its presence in Germany at the present time.

But an indefinite period of passive domination will not suit France. Premier Briand will not be content to rest with the occupation of three Rhenish towns if he sees the ghost of a chance of bringing the German Government to terms by extending the eastward march. Whether Mr. Lloyd George would be successful in obtaining the authority of his Cabinet to fall in with an expansion of the policy to which he has committed Great Britain—against his own original inclination and obviously with some reluctance in other quarters—is doubtful. At the same time it goes without saying that if the Allied Supreme Council intends to take charge of Germany's till and help itself it will have to sanction the thing in a thorough manner as long as the debtor chooses to withhold his assistance.

It might be advisable even to take a firmer grip upon the whole situation at the outset and send a couple of battalions of troops to the capital to impress official Germany. Westphalian sentiment is as different from that of Berlin as chalk is from cheese. A French regiment on guard in Unter den Linden would cripple the national spirit quicker than an army corps in Duesseldorf. Even Cologne is provincial compared with the capital, and Duesseldorf is much less than the Birmingham of Germany. But Berlin is the London.

THE RAILWAY LOAD.

To conduct all the business of the Dominion of Canada for the next twelve months Sir Henry Drayton has asked the House of Commons to vote him over five hundred and eighty million dollars. Out of this amount he requires over two hundred millions for railway purposes of which only twenty-seven millions will be applied to capital expenditure. Of the balance more than two hundred and thirty millions are required for expenditures arising out of the war.

Considerably less than a quarter of the estimated expenditure for the next twelve months will be used for general government purposes. In other words the cost of conducting the affairs of the country would have been only a little in excess of that required ten years ago if there had been no war and no railway problem. But the two legacies will remain for years to come and provision will have to be made accordingly. In the meantime a sixteen million reduction in the estimated amount required for general government purposes is a commendable feature of Sir Henry Drayton's financing.

When Sir Henry asks the House of Commons for two hundred millions to enable him to pay the country's railway bill and keep its system in working order he reminds the Dominion of the liability it assumed when it went into the business on its own account. And it is useless to protest at this stage. The railways have been built and the only alternative to paying the bill is to cut the loss and suffer the consequences. Canada cannot afford to do that. What is more she will be compelled to add to her railway obligations when she takes over the Grand Trunk. She pays the bills now and she may as well put this with the rest and shape a course that should bring a more adequate return at a later stage.

It may be supposed that as the country increases its population from within and without the burden of the moment will become lighter; but it is a very grave doubt whether even the next generation will vote its railway estimates with any more glee than the Government now in office.

WANDERING.

Unless the Legislature keeps a careful check upon itself it will be comparatively easy to depart from the principle upon which the people of this Province voted last October. The issue at that time was reasonably clear in the minds of the electorate. It was a plain contest between the British Columbia Prohibition Act and a system of Government control and sale of spirituous and malt liquor in sealed packages. Some of the salient features that would be included in a more liberal measure of liquor distribution were patent to those who had taken the trouble to study the experiences of other parts of this continent. To most people the death of the existing law meant a realization of what the alternate question on the ballot paper implied. But the preliminary discussion of the bill in Committee has produced suggestions which wander far from the expressed desire of the people.

Among the more noteworthy is a proposal that any municipality shall be permitted to take a referendum within its own territory to ascertain whether or not it shall allow an official liquor store to be established in that particular area. Desirable as this obvious modification of the expressed will of the people might appear to those who battled strenuously for the cause of Prohibition it cannot be argued seriously that the Government or the Legislature may interpret the plebiscite vote in this way. If such a procedure should be followed it would simply mean that one or two municipalities in British Columbia would take occasion to test a proposal for local option. Neither the Government nor the Legislature would be wise to depart from a definitely expressed instruction to this extent.

EXCELLENT RESULTS.

British Columbia's Department of Labor may pat itself on the back for the excellent results it has achieved during the twelve months covered in the report presented to the Legislature by the Hon. J. W. deB. Farris. Its record compares more than favorably with the other Provinces of the Dominion, and the fact that its machinery effected nearly seventy thousand placements in 1920 indicates the extent of its usefulness to the employers and workmen of British Columbia. It is worth while drawing attention to this particular phase of the report for the reason that it represents an increase in the number of placements over the preceding year of exactly one hundred per cent. In other words the elimination of the private commercial employment agency did something else besides remove the abuses to which the workman was exposed under the old system; it doubled the work of the Department. It should be noted, too, that the Department has been and may continue to be singularly useful in connection with schemes for dealing with unemployment.

OSOYOOS.

If there is an impression abroad that the best of the lands in the Provincial Government's Osoyoos settlement have been taken up by returned soldiers it ought to be a simple matter to correct it by a suitable kind of advertising. It is right and proper that preference should be given to the British Columbia veteran; but he himself has no desire to erect a barrier round his holding that denies him the benefit of friendly advice and co-operation which an older and more experienced agriculturalist would be willing to give him. The returned man did not and will not suffer by the Government's decision to permit of general settlement at Osoyoos. It is to his advantage that the community should grow and grow quickly. The more intensive the settlement the greater the opportunity for community development and the better the prospect of markets and market facilities.

NOTE AND COMMENT

One of the Legislature's problems: When is a sealed package not a sealed package?

After dealing with eleven clauses out of the hundred and eleven clauses in the Liquor Control Bill eleven clauses were held over for further discussion. At least this is proof that the House is interested and industrious.

Premier Oliver has sent his blessing to the Ulster Parliament. If he could spare the time to make a tour of the South of Ireland he would be able to deliver a few shoulder strokes that would appeal even to a Sinn Feiner of the deepest dye.

The Rev. J. G. Inkster told the Kiwanis Club yesterday that there was too much sickly sentimentalism about religion. He is quite right; what the world needs to-day is practical Christianity.

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

HOROSCOPE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1921.

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Again astrologers foretell that the day will be uncertain in its planetary direction. Jupiter, Venus and Saturn are all strongly adverse, Mars alone being mildly helpful.

There is an aspect that seemingly portends anxiety and much discussion concerning financial problems. Bankers will be much in consultation over grave questions in which foreign nations are involved.

Severe criticism of educational matters seems to be foreshadowed. Sensational exposures of bad management are pressaged by the stars.

Under this sway there is likely to be much lawbreaking, especially where illicit traffic is possible.

Crimes by women as well as against them may be alarmingly common as the Spring advances.

The lunation of this date falls in opposition to Jupiter at the winter solstice and this threatens difficulties in regard to Government executives, especially those in high places.

Changes in the new President's advisers, possibly among members of his Cabinet, seem to be indicated.

The rising position of Jupiter and Saturn denotes both extravagance and privation among the people and depression in certain lines of trade.

The weather may be unfavorable for agriculture this month, for there is likely to be too much rain.

The conjunction of Mercury and Uranus in the sixth house denotes reforms in sanitation and public health matters. Women and children will receive much attention.

The birthrate is to fall off considerably, especially in the East and West, where marriages may decrease.

MOVE FOR SMALLER RAILWAY BILL

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necessity of another vast sum being expended on the railways next year.

Reid's Statement.

Ottawa, March 9.—(Canadian Press)—Wide interest has been aroused by the statement made in the House of Commons last night by Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals, on the effect of the high cost of railway operations on development in Canada. Officially, Hansard reports Dr. Reid as having declared that the cost of railway operations is "hindering or preventing the future development of our country," that the development of Canada and the United States has been hindered by the McAdoo Award and that "some action must be taken."

A Hindrance.

The official text of Dr. Reid's remarks follows:

"The cost of operation of railways, not only in Canada, but in the United States, has increased so tremendously in the last two or three years that, in my judgment, it is hindering or preventing the future development of our country, and unless some means are taken to decrease the cost of operation of our railways, the development of our country will continue to be hindered. The development of this country and the United States has been hindered by what is called the McAdoo Award in fixing the wages of railway employees. Some action must be taken and I think the railway employees themselves should look into this matter and endeavor to adjust matters in such a way that the future of this country will not be hindered on account of the enormous cost of operation of railways, as is the case at the present time."

WHITE RUTHENIANS NOW BREAK AWAY FROM RUSSIA

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Petrograd.

Copenhagen, March 9.—Petrograd is reported to be in the hands of revolutionary forces which for several days have been fighting against Russian Bolshevik troops near that city, says a special dispatch from Helsingfors received here this morning.

The revolutionists were victorious, the dispatch declares, after a terrific bombardment of Petrograd followed by machine gun battles in the streets of the city.

No Communication.

London, March 9.—Communications between Russia and Siberia have been cut for more than a fortnight, says an official wireless message from Moscow to-day. The break is ascribed to the work of Social Revolutionaries.

A Tokio dispatch of March 6 quoted travelers arriving in Vladivostok from Chita, seat of the Bolshevik Far Eastern Siberian Republic, as stating that an anti-Soviet movement had been started by troops and peasants in the interior of the republic.

Moscow Dispatch.

London, March 9.—Workers in Soviet Russia are indignant over the revolutionary uprising at Kronstadt and are begging to be allowed to fight against the forces engaged with Soviet troops there, says a wireless dispatch from Moscow. It is said in the dispatch that "friction is beginning to be noticed among the mutineers."

The tenth congress of the Russian Communist Party opened at Moscow yesterday under difficult circumstances, the dispatch states.

"The republic is surrounded by an endless number of enemies," it continues. "The short breathing spell given Russia has been interrupted by new Allied intrigues. The task confronting the republic must be carried through at a time when she is struggling against counter-revolutionists."

Another Version.

London, March 9.—Another version of the situation in Petrograd is given in a Central News dispatch from Helsingfors dated to-day. This says that fighting is continuing in the streets of Petrograd and that War Minister Trotzhy and M. Zinovieff, the Soviet Governor of Petrograd, were reported to have taken refuge in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, surrounded by a large number of protective troops.

All attempts by the revolutionaries to capture this fortress were repulsed, the message says.

ARREST FOLLOWS MADRID MURDER

(Continued from page 1.)

The count de Bugallal, Minister of Interior, will act as temporary Premier.

Criminals Escaped.

All trace of the men who killed the Premier was lost in the excitement attending the assassination. Immediately after the crime had been committed the criminals, who were riding in the side car of a motorcycle, sped away and disappeared.

Premier Dato left the Senate chamber at 8.30 o'clock, and entered his car, which was waiting for him. A motorcycle with a side car carrying two men had followed the Premier's car unnoticed, there being many other similar machines on the streets. When the Premier's car had reached the Plaza Independencia, near Senor Dato's home, the motorcycle increased its speed and approached the side of the Premier's automobile. At that point the streets are quite dark.

Twenty-One Shots.

When the motorcycle had drawn up even with the automobile, the two men in the side car and the driver of the machine opened fire upon the Premier, twenty-one shots being discharged. The whole tragedy was enacted in a few moments, and as the last shot rang out the motorcycle swung into a side street and vanished.

Died in Drugstore.

The driver of the Premier's car, hearing the firing, increased his speed, but the Premier shouted: "I am wounded; stop the car." The chauffeur found the Premier terribly wounded about the head, but able to speak. He said he believed he was badly hurt. The driver leaped to his seat and drove to a dispensary near by, where first aid was administered. Senor Dato was conscious when taken from the automobile, but collapsed in a few minutes, and died while at the dispensary. He had three wounds in the back of his head. The car in which he had been riding was found to be riddled with bullets.

At the session of the Senate which the Premier had been attending, the Minister of Labor introduced a bill extending the provisions of the labor accident law to agricultural workers.

Eduardo Dato was recognized as one of the most conservative of the Conservatives in Spain. He became leader of the Liberal-Conservative Party, the strongest political group in the Cortes, after the disappearance of Canovas. Never a friend of the working classes and opposed to all reforms, Dato acquired the height of his reputation for sternness in August, 1917, when he suppressed the workers' movement.

On several occasions he was Speaker of the House. Besides holding portfolios in various Cabinets, he was Premier several times. Although apparently of gentle temperament, Dato possessed a will of iron, and never discussed a subject with anyone once he had made up his mind.

He was born in La Cruna on August 12, 1858, and studied law. He passed his final examinations at the age of 19. When he entered politics he pushed rapidly to the front, becoming Secretary of State for the Interior in 1891 and Minister of the same Department in 1899.

In 1903 Dato became Minister of Justice and in 1907 he was nominated Speaker of the House and also became Mayor of Madrid. He was first chosen Premier in 1913 and again in 1917.

In 1918 he held the portfolio of Secwar were on the side of the Allies. He was married in his early youth, and was the father of three children.

Dato's sympathies throughout the was were on the side of the Allies. For the United States he is said never to have had any love. He was a monarchist.

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LETTERS

WHO CHANGED THE SABBATH?

To the Editor:—In your issue of Monday I noticed a long dissertation on the question, "Who changed the Sabbath?" Would you kindly permit a few words in reply to that important query?

The Lord Jesus Christ in his teaching said, "I came not to destroy the law but to fulfil." The fulfilment of this part of the law transpired on the resurrection morn, and from that day to the present Christians have always met in worship on the first day of the week. This was sanctioned by the risen Lord himself, for eight days after the resurrection he mysteriously appeared in the midst of the disciples, the doors being shut for fear of the Jews. Throughout the Apostolic writings there are several references to the gatherings of the early Christian church on the first day of the week, which day was known to them as "The Lord's Day," referred to by John in his banishment on the isle of Patmos, "I was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day."

The Roman Church may be responsible for the names given to the days of the week, but the honor must be accorded to the Lord himself of having restored the sacred day of rest to its proper place, for any one who has read ancient Jewish history will know that the Edenic Sabbath was neglected and lost on several occasions. At the present time there are both Seventh Day Adventists and Jews who are absolutely without any Sabbath, for we find them working Saturday and Sunday alike. Hands off this holy institution which has been so signally blest of God in our beloved British Empire; rather let us call a halt in the wanton desecration of this holy day.

C. M. TATE,
Methodist Minister.

41 South Turner Street, March 8, 1921.

PROTEST AND PASSION.

To the Editor:—There has been but little comment regarding the two matters of civic interest that has lately been settled for a time.

The election of Dr. Hall and Mr. North as Police Commissioners may be regarded as a protest—whether rightly or wrongly—against the police administartion of this city. The strong endorsement by the citizens of both these gentlemen leads one to surmise that there has arisen a feeling of distrust regarding the attitude of the authorities towards vice and crime. All good citizens will hope that the new board will use the proverbial broom and sweep clean where the evidences of moral dterioartion appear.

The vote regarding Proportional Representation is an outburst of passion. The average citizen looked upon the subject as one of counting votes, instead of regarding it as a question of a just representation of the people. The method of counting and transferring was thought to be complicated, and without considering the aim and object of the newer method, entirely shut their minds to the great reform of representation that might be accomplished through it.

I have also a protest, and do it without passion. At the annual election of Mayor, Aldermen, School Board and Police Commissioners the P. R. method of voting was adopted. Electors were advised to use numerals for these several elections, but in voting upon daylight saving they were advised to use a cross. This was confusing, but as the referendum came last, there was but little trouble.

This latter election the position was reversed. The P. R. referendum—which was strangely phrased—was placed first, and the poll clerks advised the electors to use a cross, which was according to printed instructions. What was more natural than the supposition that the cross was to be used in the other elections immediately following, especially as the poll clerks in these booths did not verbally instruct the voter? Is it any wonder that in an election so simple as this one, with but three candidates, that many of the electors used the cross in all the booths, and so spoiled hundreds of votes. The P. R. referendum was by common knowledge doomed to defeat, but unfair methods ought not to be adopted to defeat it.

Still and yet, reform is never lost. The enlightened opinion and mature judgment of the civilized world is on its side, and the eleven hundred voters of Victoria are but the vanguard of the hosts of reformers that are clamoring for constitutional advance.

Even Victoria—sleepy Victoria—will yet come to its own.

W. MARCHANT.

PASTOR WOOD'S INTERPRETATION OF PROPHECY.

To the Editor:—In the course of the sermon reported in The Times of March 7, Pastor Wood tries to make out that the Pope (what he says is "the Papal Church," but what he means is the Pope) is "that man of sin, the son of perdition" foretold by St. Paul. One had fancied that this silly notion was long since relegated to the limbo of forgotten things. The Pastor has a novel method of establishing his thesis. The "man of sin" will attempt to raise himself above God. The only way he can do this is to make a law which conflicts with God's law, and to get people to obey his law rather than God's. Now, according to Pastor Wood, the Papal Church has done this very thing. He cites two instances. One is the suppression of the second commandment of God, the other the substitution of the first day of the week for the seventh in the Sabbatical ordinance of the Decalogue.

The former of the two instances hardly fulfills the condition which the Pastor himself lays down. To suppress a commandment is not to change it and put another in its place. But I let that go. The argument proves too much. If it proves that the Papal Church is Antichrist, it proves also that the Lutheran Church is Antichrist. This is what I read in "The New Schaff-Herzogg Encyclopaedia of Religious Knowledge":

"The Jews count Exodus xx.2 as the first commandment: 3-6 as the second; 17 as the tenth. The Greek and Reformed churches make 3 the first; 4-6 the second; 17 the tenth. The Roman and Lutheran churches see in 3-6 one commandment and in 17 two commandments."

In other words, the Roman and Lutheran churches see eye to eye in the matter of the division of the Decalogue. And so, if the Pope is Antichrist, Luther is also! This is what I call proving too much.

But, seriously, it is not a question of suppressing a commandment, but of how the commandments given in Exodus and Deuteronomy are to be divided. Origin seems to be sponsor for the division adopted by the Greek and Reformed Churches; St. Augustine for that adopted by the Papal and the Lutheran. Personally, I prefer to follow Augustine. I consider his division the more logical. First of all, the Jews, I think, are plainly wrong in making Exod. xx.2 ("I am the Lord thy God who brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage") the first commandment. These words are not mandatory. They are in the nature of a preamble. The first commandment is verse 3 ("Thou shalt have no other god before me"). And the verses that follow (4-6) serve but to stress the particular form of idolatry into which the Israelites were prone to fall. The general commandment is: "Thou shalt not give to any creature the worship which is due to God. Verses 4 to 6 do but particularize, and forbid specifically the worship of graven images—such as the golden calf that the Israelites were worshipping below at the very time that Moses was receiving the Decalogue from God on the summit of Sinai. On the other hand, it certainly seems more logical to make "Thou shalt not Covet thy neighbor's wife" a distinct commandment from "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's goods," seeing that "Thou shalt not commit adultery" is a distinct commandment from "Thou shalt not steal." Since the overt acts are distinct, so are also the respective desires.

But if, in this instance, the good Pastor proves too much, in the latter of the two instances cited above (eked out by means of a diagram), methinks he is proving far too much. He is proving that Christendom has been anti-Christian from the beginning. The substitution of the first day of the week for the seventh was made from the earliest days of the Church. It was made by the authority with which Christ, who declared Himself to be Lord also of the Sabbath, clothed the Apostles when He said to them: "Whatsoever you shall bind on earth shall be bound also in heaven, and whatsoever you shall loose on earth shall be loosed also in heaven." By no other authority than this could such a change have been made, and the express warrant for the exercise of it is given in the quoted words. The Pastor told his hearers that this change is "unquestionably" the one "referred to in the prophecy" which he has undertaken to interpret. One wonders whence he gets his assurance. Has he had a special revelation on the subject? And if so, what guarantee can he give us that the revelation is from above?

ALEX. MacDONALD,
Bishop of Victoria.

THE LIQUOR BILL.

To the Editor,—At this stage of the world fight between the Dragon Drink and Progressive Governments, several governments have got badly mauled, and the dragon has not been crippled anything to write home about, so it behoves us to go carefully. The innocent bystander, the moderate drinker, has had most of the hard knocks so far. The fighting in B. C. is complicated by the aid Mr. Bowser has given the dragon by confusing his attackers and tripping up any fighter not so nimble on his political feet as the ex-Premier himself. When Mr. Bowser was on the platform here before the election, I asked him how he proposed to prevent the heavy drinker from getting alcohol, if he were returned to power. He replied: "You will never prevent him." I inquired who in the circumstances he proposed legislating for, as the moderate drinker did not need controlling. He did not answer, although the question how to allow the moderate user of alcohol to obtain it and prohibit the immoderate drinker, is the pivot of this world-wide problem. I have seen several efforts to solve it fail. The "outdoor license" introduced into England by Wm. Ewart Gladstone as a preliminary to closing the public house, admittedly led to a great deal of secret drinking among respectable women who did not get it before because they could not face the odium of going to the public house. Many British Governments have promised to repeal this outdoor license, but it is a big tax bearer and there are great vested interests behind it. They failed and the public house is there still. This outdoor license is practically the same as our own proposed sale of alcohol in sealed packages, and it hardly seems likely that a measure that has proved more or less a curse in England is likely to be a success here. The Welsh Sunday Closing Act again led to the miner taking home a two-gallon cask of beer under his arm on Saturday, and having a field day with his family or friends on Sunday, instead of having one or two drinks at the bar. And this Act is much the same as our proposal to allow the purchase of three gallons of malt liquor at one time. It would certainly end in the production of two or three gallon casks, which would weigh from 24 to 32 pounds, and could easily be carried home under the arm. But the weakest point in our proposed act is this: The heavy drinker will purchase his occasional pint or two pints of spirits at the hotel, hire a room, lock the door and defy interdictment within a week of the passing of the act. Personally, I believe if the hotel bar had been left and the purchaser limited to a moderate allowance of alcohol, purchasable daily on a dated ticket, with the owners photograph on the book cover, and the bartender on a salary without commission or any incentive to encourage evasion of the law, we would have come to closer grips with our difficulties.

A. G. BEALE, M.D.

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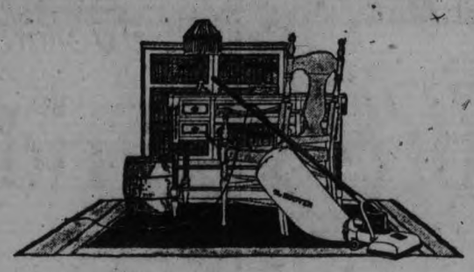

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—Staples—Phone 3950

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Boys' Butcher Blue Heavy Duck Shirt Waists, a waist that will give long wear and general satisfaction; made with double collar and loops, pocket and narrow band cuffs; all sizes. At, each **$1.25**

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—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

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Men's Fine Vici Kid Boots in Blucher and Balmoral styles; boots of excellent grade; neat, stylish models. Now selling at **$8.35**

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—Men's Boots, Main Floor

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Women's Patent Colonial Pumps, regular $11.00. At, a pair **$3.95**

Women's Patent and Kid Opera Pumps, regular $10.00. At **$3.95**

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—Women's Shoes, First Floor—Phone 6896

Children's Middies and Skirts At Special Prices

Children's Navy Flannel Middies in Balkan and conventional styles; with sailor collar, cuffs and pocket trimmed with narrow braid; sizes to fit the ages of 8 to 14 years; regular $6.50 values. Now offered at **$5.75**

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—Children's, First Floor

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Platters, 14-inch **$1.25**

Plates, eight-inch; six for **$1.95**

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Fruit Saucers, 6 for **65¢**

Oatmeal Plates, six for **$1.00**

Jugs, 1½ pints, at **65¢**

Covered Vegetable Dishes at **$2.00**

Open Vegetable Dishes at .... **75¢**

Soup Plates 6 for **$1.50**

Slop Bowls at, each, **45¢**

Jugs, 1-pint size, at **60¢**

—China, Lower Main Floor—Phone 6525

Armure Tapestry at $1.15 a Yard

Armure Tapestry for portiere curtains and window draperies; a heavy tapestry, 40 inches wide; in shades of blue, brown and green. Special at, a yard **$1.15**

—Drapery, Second Floor—Phone 1246

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On Sale in the Hardware Department

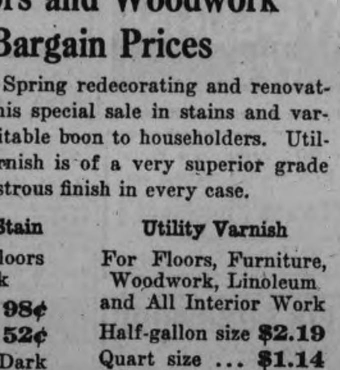
—Lower Main Floor—Phone 6525

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

ALL-DAY SPECIALS

Libby's Olives, bottle	**12¢**
Crumpets, 2 packages	**25¢**
Tomato Soup, tin	**10¢**
Lazenby's Distilled Malt Vinegar, large bottles; 50c value for	**37¢**
Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10-pound sack	**60¢**
Lunch Tongues, tin	**28¢**
Shirriff's Jelly Powders, package	**10¢**
Empress Marmalade, 4-pound tin	**80¢**
Toilet Rolls, each	**6¢**
Soda Biscuits, package	**9¢**
Fried Codfish Cakes, 25c tins	**21¢**
Rolled Oats, 7-pound cotton sacks	**36¢**
Cowan's Cocoa, tin	**8¢**
Reindeer Cocoa and Milk, tin	**15¢**
Brunswick Herring in Tomato Sauce, tin	**11¢**
Salmon Paste, delicious for sandwiches; 30c tins	**22¢**
Clark's Corn Beef Hash, 1's; per tin	**34¢**
Gold Seal Milk, tin	**23¢**
Filbert Nuts, pound	**23¢**
Lyle's Golden Syrup, 2-pound tin	**39¢**

Sample Beds at a Bargain



One White Enamel Bed with two continuous 2-inch posts and seven upright fillers; 4 feet 6 inches wide; regular $22.00. Now clearing at **$14.00**

One White Enamel Bed with 2-inch continuous posts and five 1-inch fillers; a 4 feet 6 inch bed; regular $24.00. Selling at **$15.00**

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Cooked Corned Beef (sliced) at, lb.	**40¢**
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—Delicatessen, Lower Main Floor—Phone [illegible]

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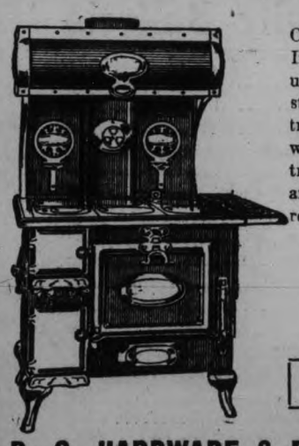

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For Women And Home

Social and Personal

An intensely interesting address on British Columbia, illustrated with some magnificent pictures taken by the lecturer, was given by Mr. W. W. Baer before the members of the Women's University Club last evening. At the close of the address Mrs. Smith proposed and Miss Hamilton seconded the hearty vote of thanks which was tendered by the meeting to the lecturer. In the unavoidable absence of the president, Mrs. J. W. de B. Farris, the chair was taken by Miss Adele MacLeod, first vice-president.

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George Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. H. Croome, W. C. Bell, E. K. Wills, F. B. Howes, Miss H. G. Fearn, Rev. Meston Smith, W. R. McGill, H. W. Robinson, N. D. Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Warde and J. McPhillips, of Vancouver; Mrs. W. N. Bell, and Mrs. G. Beatty, of New Westminster, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Proctor, Fowl Bay Road, entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Rev. John G. Inkster and Mrs. Inkster, prior to their departure for Toronto. Among the guests were the Hon. the Premier and Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Ralph Smith, M. P. P., and Mr. J. M. Yorston, M. P. P.

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Miss Sybil Street left this afternoon for New York en route for England, where she will make an extended stay with friends. She will be accompanied as far as New York by her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Earle, who will remain in the East for two weeks before returning to the coast.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Millar, of Hollywood, Cal., formerly of Victoria, who have been wintering in the city, left to-day for England. They will spend the next few months in Southern France and Italy, and will make an extended holiday tour of Northern France and England before returning to Victoria next Spring.

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J. H. Windross, of the Coronado Beach Hotel staff, has been appointed manager of the MacDonald Hotel, Edmonton. He will assume charge on March 15. Mr. Windross was for some time with the Davenport Hotel, Spokane, and for a few months in 1917 manager of the Empress Hotel here.

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Fraser S. Keith, General Secretary of the Engineering Institute of Canada, will visit Victoria during the first week in April, and will be entertained by the local branch. The Honorable Secretary of the branch, H. M. Begwood, is completing the arrangements for the visit.

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Mrs. D. Keith, Wm. Singleton and Mrs. Singleton, M. D. Morrison, R. Carter, J. Mackay, M. H. Dobie, J. F. Hughes, F. E. Maguire, W. Wardhaugh Thomas Nary, Mrs. W. C. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Petrovich, are some Vancouver visitors now at the Dominion Hotel.

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Dr. Howard Spohn of Vancouver, late of Toronto, who Monday evening addressed the Victoria Medical Association upon "Infant Feeding and Nutritional Diseases," is the guest of his cousin, Mrs. J. R. Green, Rockland Avenue, during his brief stay in the city.

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A. F. Denton, of Amisk, Alberta; A. Leishman, of Toronto; Miss Flora McInis, of Regina, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Gavin, of Morse, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Ross, of Detroit, Mich.; A. G. Bethell, and J. A. Offer, of Shanghai, are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Capt. F. Tyler, A. Crozier, Richard Cook, of Port Alberni, Charles A. Cox and Jack Bartlett, of Alberni; James Finlay, of Shawnigan Lake, are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

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R. H. Cochrane and Mrs. Cochrane, of Regina; E. P. Baker, of Kamsack; W. J. Doig and Mrs. Doig, of Russell, Man.; J. E. Thomson, of Gladstone, Man.; George Paris and Mrs. Paris, of Banff, are among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.

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Miss Jennie McCulloch, who for the past ten years has been secretary of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada, was on Monday evening presented by the members of the organization with a handsome travelling clock on the occasion of her approaching marriage. The ceremony took place in connection with the fortnightly meeting held at her home, 912 Linden Avenue, Mr. R. D. McCaw, the president, making the presentation on behalf of the members. Mr. A. O. Wheeler, president of the parent body, added his congratulations to the recipient.

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Miss Vera Ryder was the hostess at a delightful little informal dance given last evening at her home at St. Ann Street, Oak Bay, in honor of her house-guest, Miss Ryder, of Regina. Among the guests were Miss Dorothy Stuart Robertson, Miss Jocelyn Innes, Miss Mary MacLeod, Miss Olive Brethour, Messrs. Kenneth Raymur, Jack Matson, Victor and Tim Wheatley, Billy Wilson and Arthur Little.

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Miss Dorothy Langford, who has been the guest of Miss Gladys Peters, Esquimalt, left for her home in Vancouver on Monday. She left the Mainland city on Monday evening for Vernon with her aunt, Mrs. F. W. Peters.

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William McPherson and Mrs. McPherson, of Cashmere, Wash., and Mrs. M. Connors and Catherine Connors, of Spokane, are staying at the Dominion.

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A. G. Rudkin, Mrs. Rudkin, and the Misses Rudkin, Mrs. Bateman, and children and Mr. Lemon, of Duncan, are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sweeney have gone over to Vancouver, where they will be the guests of Major J. G. Fordham, Cardero Street, for a week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Booth, who have been guests at the Empress Hotel for the past week, left this afternoon for their home in Seattle.

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Brig.-Gen. J. M. Ross, G. O. C., has returned from an official visit to Ottawa and has resumed command of Military District No. 11.

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Mrs. B. M. Booth, of this city, is visiting in Vancouver for several weeks, the guest of Mrs. E. Patton, Royal Mansions.

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Mrs. Matthew Perry, of Wilmot Place, Oak Bay, is visiting her son, Dr. R. W. Perry in Seattle for a few days.

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Mrs. E. F. Gould, of Victoria, was the house guest of Mrs. Alex. Hollister, of Vancouver, over the week-end.

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Judge and Mrs. Gunn, of Ottawa, are at the Empress Hotel, where they expect to remain for the next month.

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R. Keegan, of Ladner and Mr. and Mrs. Shankland and family, of Penticton, are at the Dominion Hotel.

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A. C. Fraser, of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cunningham, of Shanghai, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kenvyn, of Vancouver, were visitors in the city to-day.

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Mrs. Arthur Jones has returned to the city after a visit to Vancouver.

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Facts About Your Name; Its History; Its Meaning; Whence It Was Derived; Its Significance; Your Lucky Day and Lucky Jewel.

By Mildred Marshall.

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AMELIA

Amelia is derived from that remarkable word amal, which has formed the root of so many proper names. It appears in practically every language and means "work." As early as the days of the Vikings, it was incorporated into masculine and feminine names.

The first Amilias was an armourer in the court of King Nielung. Aumlung, another of the early versions, appears in the "Book of Heroes" as naming Aumlung the Strong and there was a Duke Amelung recorded in Danish Ballad lore.

Amala was the earliest feminine name formed from Amal. It was a favorite in Lombardy, but soon penetrated Germany where it found vogue as Amalie. Meantime, France and Italy had adopted the Latin Aemilia and through the similarity in sound, the two names were thought to be identical. France compramised the difference between Aemilia and Amalie and produced Amelie, the name which has much vogue there to-day. Amelia is the English version. It has replaced all other forms—even in Germany—the French Amelie alone surviving.

The amethyist is Amelia's Talismanic stone. It will guard its wearer from danger and protect her from contagion. According to ancient belief, the amethyst has a sobering effect upon rash or impetuous natures. To dream of it signifies freedom from harm. Saturday is Amelia's lucky day and four her lucky number. The primrose, signifying simplicity, is her flower.

While filming the final scenes of her latest starring picture, "The Charming Deceiver," near a small Long Island town, the fan belt on the car of Alice Calhoun, Vitagraph star, snapped without warning. Even the technical man of the production unit worried about getting back to New York in Miss Calhoun's car, but the young star found a way out. She skipped across the highway to a small crossroads' grocery store and bought several yards of clothesline, and this served as an improvised fan belt until the machine brought up before Miss Calhoun's garage in New York city.

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FOR CHILDREN

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

BILLY BOY MEETS KITTY

Part II.

My new home is quite different from the one I had with mother. I live inside the big house and have a wicker basket, with a soft cushion in it, under a table in the kitchen.

Here I can watch everything going on without being in the way. I have learned to wait until Kitty, who lives here, too, has had her dinner before I come out of my basket.

I have learned something else, also—that cats are strange creatures. A dog can never be sure of what they are going to do.

The first night I came to my new home everyone petted me and I was in high spirits chasing after a ball when I bumped into Kitty, walking primly around the corner, and I had to think hard of mother and what she said about not picking a quarrel, for Kitty did not look at all friendly and her tail began to bristle.

I backed a bit, hoping she would speak first, but she just stared at me

and I had to bark, "How do you do?" and ask, "Do you live here, too?"

But she only switched her tail and with her head in the air she walked toward the kitchen. I thought she was very impolite and I ran after her, intending to snap at her tail, but I thought of mother again and stopped, though I could not seem to remember that she mentioned cats when she told us puppies not to pick a quarrel.

So I walked slowly into the kitchen, but I did not see Kitty anywhere, and just then my Master's Mother put a saucer of milk on the floor, and being hungry I ran right to it and began to drink.

I had hardly touched it when right on the side of my head came a bang, and when I jumped and looked—if it wasn't Kitty that had done this rude thing!

I knew right then that Mother never mentioned being polite to cats and I determined to fight it out, but my Master's Mother picked me up and put me in my basket.

She explained that since Kitty was a lady and older than I that I must never touch her saucer, and then she showed me a bright tin plate. "This is yours, Billy Boy," she said in a real nice and gentle voice, "and Kitty will not be allowed to touch it."

Of course, I felt better about it, but I wished I could see my Mother. There were many things I wanted to ask about cats and people, but just then I heard my Master's step and I did not feel homesick any more.

I made up my mind, though, that Kitty had not had the right sort of training when she was young, but I thought perhaps she did not have such a fine Father as I had, and her Mother had no one to hold up as an example for her children.

I am quite useful in my new home in many ways; in the morning when the kitchen door is opened I race upstairs and wake the rest of the family, and though some of them try to tangle me up in the covers I can wriggle out in a hurry and bark until they are all wide awake.

After breakfast I run out to wait for the postman, and if there is a letter for the family he puts it in my mouth, and I never let go of it until my master or some of our folks takes it from me.

Often my master comes home early from the office and we take long walks, and to-morrow I will tell you what happened on one of those walks

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, March 9.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains high on the Coast and fair, mild weather is general from Northern B. C. to California, and zero weather prevails in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 26; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 38; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 18; snow, 1 in.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min.
Portland, Ore.	58	36
Seattle	54	42
San Francisco	54	50
Penticton	58	..
Grand Forks	51	..
Nelson	56	..
Cranbrook	45	..
Kaslo	44	..
Calgary	46	12
Qu'Appelle	8	—2
Winnipeg	Zero	—10
Toronto	63	..
Ottawa	46	..
Montreal	46	..
St. John	34	..

W.C.T.U. OPPOSED TO SALE OF BEER

Urges Government to Disregard Petitions and Observe Only Plebiscite Terms

Opposition to the proposed sale of light wines and beers in clubs and hotels was voiced by the members of the Rockland Park branch, W. C. T. U., at their meeting yesterday afternoon.

The feeling of the meeting was crystallized into the following resolution which will be forwarded to the Premier:

"Whereas determined efforts are being made by the liquor interests and others to induce His Majesty's Government for British Columbia, now in session assembled, to provide by law for the sale of light wines and beers as beverages in places other than Government stores, therefore be it resolved that we, the members of the Rockland Park Branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, do hereby make earnest appeal to the Executive Committee of the Government to disregard all such petitions and to keep such legislation as may be enacted on the sale and use of alcoholic liquor for beverage purposes strictly within the meaning and specific terms of the recent plebiscite as carried by a majority of the electors who voted."

WILL COMMEMORATE FOUNDING OF CITY

Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D. E., Plans Annual Tea For March 14

Arrangements for the tea commemorative of the founding of Victoria which has been made a yearly event since the formation of the chapter, were made at the monthly meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D. E., yesterday, with Mrs. R. B. McMicking, the regent, in the chair. As in previous years, the function will be held at the Empress Hotel on Monday, March 14, the private dining suite having been engaged for the occasion. Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes and Mrs. Willis Dean were appointed to the committee in charge of the arrangements, while Mrs. Ellison will direct the musical programme.

Plans were also made for the bridge-tea to be held early in April, for which Mrs. Tyrel-Godman has kindly offered her beautiful home at Esquimalt. Mrs. Phillips was appointed convener of the general committee, with Mrs. V. Gallon and Mrs. R. L. Millar to help her, while Miss Gill and Mrs. Greig will be in charge of the tea arrangements.

An excellent report of the work of the Girls' Club resulted in the chapter's renewal of the monthly donation of $5 to this worthy cause. A donation of $10 was also voted towards the entertainment of the sailors of the Canadian squadron on its forthcoming visit, $5 to the Boy Scouts, $7.50 voted to the Municipal Chapter for the upkeep of soldiers' graves in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Two new members were received into the chapter. During the afternoon the regent gave a resume of the work of the chapter since its formation, explaining its origin, aims and objects.

JAPANESE TELEPHONES

In Japan, says The Boston Post, the telephone number eight commands a higher price from subscribers than any other. The number, written in its Japanese character, means success and prosperity, and costs the subscriber who holds its nearly $500 a year.

Numbers 42 and 49 are particularly unlucky in the eyes of the Japanese. The former is pronounced "shini," which means death; the latter "shiku," meaning distress and suffering.

These numbers are carefully avoided by subscribers, and are usually allotted to police stations, asylums and similar institutions.

Miss Mary King, Sunday editor of one of the largest newspapers in Chicago, began her career as a stenographer.

Mrs. Mary F. Campbell, of Booneville, Mo., aged sixteen years, is a bride for the third time.

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SCHOOL BOARD SET OUT CASE

Teachers' Salary Increases Cause of Increased Estimates, Board States

The School Board's case, which was laid before the City Council in a letter read at Monday night's meeting, and which the Council decided to take under advisement for a week before dealing further with the estimates for the present year, is covered in the statement by Trustee Dr. Raynor, Chairman of the School Board.

As the matter has aroused very considerable interest in view of the City Council's stand that it cannot meet the estimates submitted, the statement of the School Board is given in full as follows:

"I beg permission to correct a few statements regarding the School Estimates and some details thereof which seem to be misunderstood by some of the members of your honorable body.

The estimates of ordinary expenditure for the current year compare as follows with the actual expenditure for last year:

	Salaries.	Other than Salaries.
Estimated expenditure, 1921, as amended	$399,094.65	$73,902.11
Expended in 1920..	331,473.94	74,111.94
Difference	$ 67,620.71	$ 209.83

It will be seen that the increases in the present estimates over last year's expenditures are entirely due to increased requirements for salaries. The movement whereby teachers' salaries have been considerably augmented during the past two or three years is a world-wide one and the Board cannot undertake to make any reduction whatever in this service.

With respect to other requirements, totalling $73,902.11, if the costs of supplies, fuel, material, etc., decrease, I can assure you that the Board will take every advantage thereof and will not expend one dollar that is not absolutely required for maintenance and operation.

Unfair Comparisons

There is nothing more unfair, however than using the expenditures of 1915 or 1916 for comparative purposes. At this period, salaries were all under a ten per cent reduction and other services were "starved" at the expense of efficiency in the interests of war-time economy.

The estimated cost of education for the current year is given below:

Estimated expenditures, $472,996.76; payment to sinking fund and annual debenture interest, $93,819.29. Total expenditures, $566,816.05.

Credits: Provincial Government grant at $460 per year per teacher, $100,000; grant on account of technical expenditure other than salaries, $5,000; estimated receipts, college fees, $3,000; Saanich Municipality for High School tuition, $8,392.50; credits carried forward $116,392.50; Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment contribution, $2,190; night school fees and grant, 4,721.65. Total credits, $123,304.15.

Estimated actual cost of education to the City for the fiscal year 1921, $443,511.90.

Victoria College

The college costs, too, have been greatly exaggerated and I am submitting herewith details in this connection which were asked by you in a communication dated February 18, 1921. The figures were prepared by the Secretary of the Board with the object of furnishing the information desired by you.

It is clearly shown, I think, that the actual cost of the college to the City will not exceed $7,000 for the present fiscal year. May I also state in this connection that a great deal of criticism has been offered on account of the small attendance in the second year work. When similar work was first instituted in Victoria College in affiliation with McGill, there were but two students in second year work and many years elapsed before as many as twenty students were secured. Victoria College in affiliation with the University of British Columbia starts out with 61 in first year and 11 in second year and the attendance for the coming year is not a matter of any conjecture to the extent of 65 in the first year and 35 in the second year. The fees paid by all the students at the rate of $40 each, will just about pay the cost of the salaries of two teachers, and if the college were abolished, the Board would still have to pay the cost of educating the greater number of these students and would receive no fee whatever therefor.

Additional Fee Small

The additional cost to the student of taking first year work in the college instead of senior matriculation in the High School, viz., $30, is insignificant when compared with the superior educational advantages secured in the colleges and I have yet to hear of a single objection at the hands of any of the students themselves on this matter of fee.

I am now convinced that to the average Victoria boy or girl, attendance at the University at Vancouver is impracticable on the grounds of the expense of living away from home.

I am equally convinced that nearly all the boys and girls who take the first two years in Arts as a continuation of their High School studies, and I believe that it will be the aim of nearly all High School students to take this course, will sooner or later avail themselves of the other two years at the parent institution.

Is this not the very service we are looking for? To have as many of our young men and women as possible trained in the universities in letters, science, engineering, etc., and take their places on an equal footing with the young men and women of our neighboring cities as specialists in some particular phase of human activity.

Technical Schools

The long delayed introduction of technical training in the schools is now a matter of accomplishment in a degree. We have opened a wood working centre and a metal working centre and some 70 boys are giving half time to theoretical work at the High School and the other half to practical work. The Board is under obligation to open an electrical shop in order to give the students the instruction which is required for University matriculation. Some of these boys will find their present training of inestimable value in the future shop or mechanical work which they have in view, while others will subsequently enter the university with the object of becoming mining, construction, electrical or mechanical engineers.

The boys of Vancouver and New Westminster and all the large cities to the south of us have enjoyed the privileges afforded by technical schools for several years. Our boys are for the first time coming into their own in this connection. The cost of this complete service will be offset by grants from both the Dominion and Provincial exchequers amounting to approximately 50 per cent.

Cost of College.

The estimated cost for the fiscal year 1921, as contemplated in the Board's estimates, is as follows:

Expenditures.

Salaries	$15,350
Furniture and apparatus	1,320
Supplies, chemical and physical, etc.	560
Supplies from the store room ...	300
Other incidental expenses	500
	$18,030

Credits.

Government grant, 5 teachers ..	$ 2,300
Government grant, salaries excess High School salaries	1,032
†Fees	3,000
‡Estimated cost Senior Matriculation at High School, now absorbed in above figures	5,250
	$11,582

Thus the actual cost of the Arts College to the city for the current year was $6,648.

*The increased attendance at the College for the term beginning September next may necessitate one additional teacher, which would augment the cost of salaries by $1,000.

†Amount of the annual fees for the school year beginning September, 1921, will be, it is believed, not less than $4,000.

‡This is figured on the basis of the cost of salaries of 2½ teachers. No allowance has been made for cost of supplies, etc.

CLAIM TELEPHONE COSTS INCREASED ENORMOUSLY

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The service connection charge which is an additional charge insofar as the company's existing tariff is concerned, is now established as a correct and equitable charge, by the rulings of numerous commissions, on the basis that it is a charge which covers the average cost of the initial expense of establishing service on the premises of the new subscriber, and unless new subscribers bear the special expense incurred, to make their particular connection, this connection cost would have to be borne by the subscribers as a whole, which would mean a still further increase in rates.

The company has given careful consideration to the method of apportioning its charge over the different classes of service rendered by it throughout the territory which it serves, in order to provide a fair return on the value of its plant devoted to the use of the public, and is of the opinion that the accompaning schedule distributes the aforementioned charges equitably and justly.

Vancouver: Business, present $6.00, new $7.50; Business measured, present $4.00 for 100 calls, two cents each for extra, new $5.50 for 100 calls, three cents each for extra; Individual residence, present $3.00, new $3.50; 2-party residence, present $2.00, new $2.50.

Victoria: Business, present $5.00, new $6.50; Business measured, present $3.00 for 100 calls, two cents each for extra, new $4.50 for 100 calls, three cents each for extra; Individual residence, present $3.00, new $3.25; 2-party residence, present $2.00, new $2.25.

New Westminster: Business, present $5.00, new $5.50; Business measured, present $3.00 for 100 calls, two cents each for extra, new $3.50 for 100 calls, three cents each for extra; Individual residence, present $3.00, new $3.00; 2-party residence, present $2.00, new $2.00.

North Vancouver: Business, present $4.00, new $5.00; Individual residence, present $2.00, new $2.75; 2-party residence, present $1.50, new $1.75.

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"'Emily gives a loud, glad snort of recognition, wheels herself around and then falls in alongside the front hack and gets ready to accompany us, all the time poking her snout over at me and uttering plaintive remarks in East Indian to me. Gents,' he says, 'you can see for yourselves, a thing like that, occurring right at the beginning of a funeral procession, is calculated to distract popular attention away from the main attraction. Under the circumstances I wouldn't blame no corpse on earth for feeling jealous—let alone a popular and prominent corpse like this here one was, a party that had been a district leader at Tammany Hall in his day, and after that the owner of the most fashionable retail liquor store in the entire neighborhood, and who's now riding along with solid silver handles up and down both sides, and style just wrote all over him. Here, with an utter disregard for expense, he's putting on all this dog for his public appearance and a strange elephant comes along and grabs the show right away from him.

"'The bereaved family don't care for it, neither I gathers as much from the remarks they're making out of the windows of the coach. But Emily just won't take a hint. She sticks along until I stops the procession and goes in a Italian fruitstore on the next block and buys her a bag of peanuts. That's all she wants. She takes it, and she leaves us and goes on back to the stable.

"Ruined the Entire Day"

"'But, as the feller says, it practically ruined the entire day for them berefts. I lost their patronage right there—and them a nice family, too. A lot of the friends and relatives also resented it; they were telling me so all the way back from the cemetery. There ain't no real harm in Emily, and I've got powerfully attached to her, but taking one thing with another, I ain't regrettin' none that you've come down all organized financially to take her out of pawn. You have my best wishes, and so has she.'

"So we settles up the account to date, which the same makes quite a nick in the bank-roll, and then we goes back to the rear of the stable where Emily is quartered, and she falls on Windy's neck, mighty nigh dislocating it, and he introduces me to Emily, and we shakes hands together,—I mean trunks,—and then Windy unshackles her, and she follows us along just as gentle as a kitten to them freight yards over on Tenth Avenue where her future travelling home is waiting for her. It's a box-car, and Windy, and the rest of it fitted out as private stateroom for Emily.

"From that time on, for quite a spell, we're just the same as one big happy family, as we goes a jauntily touring from place to place.

"We're playin' the Big Time, which means week stands and no hard jumps. Emily's a hit, a knock-out and a riot wherever she appears. She knows it too, but success don't go to her head, and she don't never get no attacks of this here complaint which they calls temper'ment. I always figgered out that temper'ment, when a grand wopra singster has it, is just plain old temper when it afflicts a bricklayer. I don't know what form it would take if it should seize on a bull, but Emily appears to be absolutely immune. Give her a ton of hay and one sack of peanuts a day, and she's just as placid as a great gross of guinea pigs. Behind the scenes she never makes no trouble, but chums with the stagehands and even sometimes with the uctors, thus proving that she ain't stuck up.

"When the time comes for Emily to do her turn, she just goes ambling on behind Windy and cuts up more didoes than any trick-mule that ever lived. She smokes a pipe, and she toots on a brass horn, and waits on table while Windy pretends to eat, and stands on her head, and plays baseball with him and so forth and so on, for fifteen minutes, winding up by waving the Amurikin flag over her head. But all this time she's keeping one eye on me, where I'm standing in the wings with a sack of peanuts in my pocket waiting for her to come off. Every time she works over toward my side of the stage, she makes little hoydenish remarks to me in her native language. It ain't long until I can make out everything she says. I've been peddling the bull too long not to be able to understand it when spoke by a native.

"For upwards of two months things goes along just beautiful. Then we strike a town out in Illinois where business ain't what it used to be, if indeed it ever was. Along about the middle of the week the young feller that's doing the press-work for the house comes to me and asks me if I ain't got an idea in my system that might make a good press-stunt.

"'There's an inspiration comes to me and I suggests to him that maybe he might go ahead and make an announcement that following the Saturday matinee, Emily the Pluperfect, Ponderous, Pachydermical Performer, direct from the court of the reigning Roger of Simla County, India, will hold a reception on the stage to meet her little friends, each and every one of whom will be expected to bring her a bag of peanuts.

"'That listens, all right,' says this lad, 'providing she likes peanuts.'

"Middle Name is Peanuts"

"'Providing she likes 'em?' I says. 'Son,' I says, 'if that bull ever has to take the cure for the drug-habit, it'll be on account of peanuts. If you don't think she likes peanuts, a sim will win you a trip to the Holy Lands.' I says. 'Why,' I says, 'Emily's middle name is Peanuts. Offhand,' I says, 'I don't know precisely how many peanuts there are,' I says, 'because if I ever heard the exact figures, I've forgot 'em, but I'd like to lay you a little eight to five that Emily can chamber all the peanuts in the world and then set down right where she happens to be, to wait for next year's crop to come onto the market. That's how much she cares for peanuts,' I says.

"'Well, that convinces him, and he hurries off to write his little piece about Emily's peanut reception. The next day, which is Friday, the announcement is in both the papers. Saturday after lunch when I strolls round to the show-shop for the matinee, one glance around the corner from the stage entrance proves to me that our little social function is certainly starting out to be a success. The street in front is lined on both sides with dagos with peanut-stands, selling peanuts to the population as fast as they can pass 'em out; and there's a long line, mainly kids, at the box-office. I goes on in and takes a flash at the front of the house through the peephole in the curtain, and the place is already jam full. If there's one kid out there, there's a thousand, and every tiny tot has got a sack of peanuts clutched in his or her chubby fist, as the case may be. And say, listen, there's a smell in the air like a prairie fire running through a Georgia goober-king's plantation.

"I goes to where Emily is hitched, and she's weaving to and fro on her legs and watering at the mouth until she just naturally can't control her own riparian rights. She's done smelt that smell too.

"'Honey gal,' I says to her,' I shore looks to me like you're due to get your fullupances of the succulential ground-pea of the Sunny Southland this day.'

"She's so grateful she tries to kiss me, but I ducks. All through her turn she dribbles from the chin like a defective fire-hydrant, and I can tell that, she ain't got her mind on her business. She's too busy thinking about peanuts. When she's got through and taken her bows, the manager leaves the curtain up and Emily steps back behind a rope that a couple of the hands stretches acrosst the stage, with me standing on one side of her and Windy on the other; and then a couple more hands shoves a wooden runway acrosst the orchestra rail down into one of the side aisles; and then the house-manager invites Emily's young friends to march up the runway and acrosst over from left to right, handling out their free-will offerings to her as they pass.

"During this pleasant scene, as the manager explains, Emily's dauntless owner, the world-famous Professor Zendavesta Jordan, meaning Windy, will lecture on the size, dimensions, habits and quaint peculiarities of this wondrous creature. That last part suits Windy right down to the ground, him being, as I told you before, the kind of party who's never so happy as when he's started his mouth and gone away and left it running.

"Then the Rush Starts."

"For maybe a half a minute after the house manager finishes his little spiel, the kids sort of hang back. Then the rush starts; and take it from me, little one, it's some considerable rush. Here they come up the runway—tiny tots in blue and tiny tots in red, and tiny tots in white; tiny tots with their parents, guardians or nurses, and tiny tots without none; tiny tots that are beginning to outgrow the tiny tottering stage, and other varieties of tiny tots too numerous to mention. And clutched in each hand is a bag of peanuts, five-cent size or ten-cent size, but mostly five-cent size. As Emily sees 'em coming, she smiles until she looks in the face like one of these here old-fashioned red-brick colonial fireplaces, with an overgrown black Christmas stocking hanging down from the centre of the mantel.

"Up comes the first and foremost of the tiny tots. The Santy Claus stocking reaches out and annexes the free-will offering. There's a faint crunching sound; that there sacks of peanuts has went to the bourne from out which no peanuts up until that time, has ever been known to return: and Emily is smiling benevolently and reaching out for the next sack. And behind the second kid is the third kid, and behind the third kid still more kids, and as far as the human eye can reach, there ain't nothing on the horizon of that show-shop but just kids—kids and peanuts.

"It certainly was a beauteous spectacle to behold so many of the dear little ones advancing up that runway with peanuts. To myself, I says: 'I guess I'm a bad little suggester, eh, what? Here's Emily getting all this free provender and Windy talking his fool head off and the house getting all this advertising and none of us out a cent for any part of it.'

"In about ten minutes, though, I'm struck by the fact that Emily's original outburst of enthusiasm appears slightly on the wane. It seems to me she ain't reaching out for the free-will offerings with quite so much eagersomeness as she was displaying a spell back. Also I takes notice that the wrinkles in her tum-tum are filling out so that she's beginning to lose some of that deflated or punctured look so common amongst bulls.

"Still, I don't have no apprehensions, but thinks to myself that any bull which can eat half a ton of hay for breakfast certainly is competent to take in a couple of wagon-loads of peanuts for five o'clock tea. Even at that I figgers that it won't do any harm to coach Emily along a little.

"'Go to it, baby mine,' I says to her. 'You ain't hardly started. Here's a chance,' I says, 'to establish a new world's record for peanuts.'

(To be continued.)

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LIQUOR IN ALBERTA.

Edmonton, March 9.—Complete returns of Government liquor sales for Alberta during the year 1920 were tabled in the House yesterday, showing a net revenue of $811,389. The total turnover was $1,596,204.

FRENCH ARMY.

Paris, March 9.—The War Ministry announced yesterday it was not considering maintenance of the class of 1919 under the colors when its time expired, Marshal Foch having sufficient effectives for the operations.

Arbitrary Measures Needed to Keep Law, Attorney-General Says

"British" Freedom Not Endangered, But If B. C. Is to Get Right For Its Citizens to Obtain Liquor There Must Be Workable Safeguards Against Abuse, Hon. Mr. Farris Explains; House Still Talks Liquor Details.

There is no attempt in the Government Liquor Act to take away the so-called British liberty, which some people talk so much about, the Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, Attorney-General, assured the House yesterday afternoon.

The House was on the liquor bill all afternoon and covered 32 more of the 111 sections, although again more than half the sections dealt with were laid over for further consideration.

The clause giving the Control Board the right to cancel a man's permit without a hearing worried Bert Kergin of Atlin. He wanted to know "whether the time has come under this great democracy when a British subject has got to forfeit his freedom as regards a hearing."

"This British freedom may be overdone," replied the Attorney-General. "This is an act for freedom and right to have liquor. If in the name of freedom and that right you are going to take away the restrictions by which that freedom can be preserved, then you are going to destroy the whole thing.

Arbitrary Power Needed

"The only way is to start out with restrictions and make them arbitrary enough so that you can get them enforced. The Board of Commissioners will be made up of men who will not in any petty, vindictive way interfere with the rights of a man. My fear is that the danger will be the other way around and that they may be too liberal. The intent of this act is to take away only those forms of appeal that are objectionable and hinder the enforcement of the act."

Wants Offenders Listed for Life

M. B. Jackson, member for the Islands, suggested that when a man has been convicted of an infraction of the act his permit should be endorsed for all time with a notation of the conviction so that vendors will always know what kind of a man they are dealing with when he presents his card for more liquor.

R. H. Pooley, member for Esquimalt, supported this.

Fears Star Chamber

H. G. Perry, member for Fort George, wanted the powers of cancellation confined only to the Board, as it would be giving too great a power to Justices of the Peace to allow them to do so, and might drive too many men to the bootleggers to get their supplies.

"I think it is going rather far when this star chamber court can cancel a man's permit without a hearing and there is no provision made for him obtaining another permit," said Fred Anderson of Kamloops.

Plenty of Permit-Issuers

Premier Oliver explained for the benefit of Mr. Kergin that there should be no insurmountable difficulty in the case of men who cannot come in to a vendor for a permit. He said it was only a question of appointing officials to look after this work and this can be adjusted by the Board better than by the Legislature.

Major Burde, member for Alberni, asked whether it was the intention to appoint more policemen as "up in the Alberni district you can pass many places where there is neither a policeman nor a justice of the peace."

Even Telegraph Operators

The Attorney General—In some places it may be necessary to appoint some local residents and give them power to issue permits.

Mr. Kergin—How about the men we have in Atlin living 150 miles out and working on the telegraph line? Booze is their only medicine and they need it. It may be impossible for these men to get their permits.

The Attorney-General—How would they send their orders?

Mr. Kergin—By wire.

The Attorney-General—Well, then we may give that telegraph operator the right to issue permits.

Mr. Kergin—I think you should give all these men the right to issue their own permits.

Permits for Individuals Only

Major Burde pointed out that permits could be issued only to individuals and not to corporations or partnerships. He asked how this would affect soldiers' clubs if they get the right to sell beer.

"As the act now stands there is no provision for resale," replied Hon Mr. Farris. "If the beer clause is put in then there will have to be provision for resales."

Mr. Kergin declared that under this regulation companies in outlying districts would not be able to buy liquor for use in cases of emergency.

Discount for Druggists

Hon. Mr. Farris explained that the manager of the concern would have to take out the permit in his own name, as the idea is to maintain individual responsibility.

The whole permit clause was left over for further consideration.

Taking up the druggists' clause, Hon. Mr. Farris explained that Government vendors will sell liquor at a discount to druggists so that when they use it in prescriptions they will be justified in charging only the same price as charged by the vendors.

No Prescription Boom Likely

"There is no reason why druggists should not handle liquor in the same way they handle patent medicine," Hon. Mr. Farris went on. "The commission will figure out what is a fair profit for them to make on it. For some time the Government has been selling liquor to druggists at a discount."

Hon. Mr. Farris explained that he did not think that giving the right to druggists to sell liquor under certain conditions would mean the return of the prescription evil as under this act the Government is preparing machinery with which to supply people with liquor, while under the old act there was prohibition of supply.

Doubtful About Veterinaries

David Whiteside of New Westminster said that the section dealing with the right of veterinaries to adminster stimulants to animals but not to consume liquor themselves or serve it to their friends could well be dropped.

Canon Hinchliffe: "Why the apparent discrimination against the veterinary and his friends? There is no such provision in regard to dentists, physicians and druggists."

A. D. Paterson: "It has been customary for veterinary attendants to drink the liquor themselves and rub the animal with the bottle."

Prohibit Consumption

Mr. Jackson asked whether it would not be within the power of the Legislature to prohibit the consumption of liquor altogether as "if we can do so we can prohibit the consumption of any liquor that is not bought from Government stores and in a Government container." If it were clear that the Province could prevent the consumption of liquor then the whole importation question could be solved in this way.

Hon. Mr. Farris: "That brings us up against the same old thing. The ordinary right of importation carries with it the right to receive and within certain limits the right to use it."

The Attorney-General went on to explain that this would simply be another way of getting around the importation problem and it would not be wise to subject it to the possibility of being thrown out by the courts.

That "Search" Clause

Mr. Bowser again objected to the clause giving the Board the right to enter a man's house for the purpose of examining his stock of liquor. He suggested having such a person make a statutory declaration, saying that the Government's proposal would lead to a great deal of difficulty and opposition.

Attorney-General Farris explained that there must be some restrictions placed and he felt that people would not object to a little inconvenience if it meant the fuller enforcement of the act. He said the clause was not aimed at the man who was a good citizen and whose word could be taken if he made a statutory declaration, but there were certain men whom he had his eye on that the department wished to "get after." These men were conducting straight bootlegging establishments, he said, and it was desired to eliminate them.

Willing to Extend Time

Hon. Mr. Farris explained that when a man's private stock was once marked that was the end of it. But by having such a clause in the act it would prevent the re-stocking of liquor by the bootlegger and provide a means of effectively stopping illicit traffic.

Thomas Uphill suggested that the date be extended for the marking of liquor. He thought by checking up express company documents the Government could keep tab on imports. The Attorney-General said it was impossible almost to secure such papers. He did agree, though, to an extension of time for marking private stocks.

Rough-Shod Riding Needed

Dealing with the question of liquor being served to an intoxicated person, the Attorney-General said it was necessary to ride a little rough-shod at times in order to have an effective law, but so long as the law was sufficiently broad then the courts could be appealed to in special cases.

Capt. Mackenzie wanted to know if a druggist would be permitted to fill a prescription presented by a drunken man. Hon. Mr. Farris was dubious on the point but said that perhaps a man in that condition, prescribed for by a physician, would need the liquor. The clause was stood over.

The clause stating that no signs shall be displayed where use is made of such words as "bar, bar-room, beer, liquor, etc.," will be changed so as to include the word "whisky" and beverages of an intoxicating nature.

Mr. Bowser thought cabarets should be included in the list of places where such signs could not be displayed. The section was stood over.

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HOTEL BUSINESS ONE OF IMPORTANCE

Stephen Jones Speaks on Business Which He Asserts Is Not Appreciated

There are 550 hotels in British Columbia and probably there is more capital invested in hotels than in any other form of industry, Stephen Jones, proprietor of the Dominion Hotel, told the Vancouver Hotelmen's Association recently. Mr. Jones said:

May I extend to you my sincere thanks for your kind invitation inviting me to be present this evening. I also wish to congraulate you, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen, on the happy idea of the organization of the Hotel men throughout the Province into one large British Columbia Hotel Association.

Age of Organization

This is an age of organization and without organization the problems of to-morrow cannot me foreseen and provided against. I don't suppose there is a single man in this audience who has not had personal experience of the power welded by the union of employees. That old saying "united we stand and divided we fall," applies to our profession in this province perhaps more than in any part of Canada—especially with the latter part of the proverb, for we certainly have fallen or suffered for want of unity. A short time ago the Minimum Wage Board met to go into the question of wages for the female employees in connection with hotels. A few of the hotelmen appeared before the Board and argued that we had no objection to any wage that they would determine was necessary after investigation, but we argued, that as our business was so personal and so domesticated, it was absolutely impossible to arbitrarily fix the hours, contending that we were compelled to keep open 7 days a week and 24 hours a day. As you are well aware, our maids before the Minimum Wage went into effect, never worked more than 8 hours a day and 6 on Sundays, and always seemed to be perfectly contented. Through the efforts of the Waiters and Chambermaids Union, they succeeded in getting from the Board, practically everything they asked for. The Hotelmen, not having an Association of importance, apparently were not taken seriously by the Minimum Wage Board.

The hotel business suffers from the organization of almost every person with whom they do business. Commencing with the real estate or Property Holders' Association in making leases so that the owners interests will be thoroughly looked after, the Manufacturers Association, the Grocery Association, the Wholesale Association, and in fact, every commodity we use in connection with the hotel, we have to buy on terms suggested by well-organized Mercantile Associations. Why, just think of it! Hotel keepers in the City of Vancouver are not permitted to buy from wholesale houses goods they require for the operating of their large and important hotels. Now, Gentlemen, is that not a pretty state of affairs?

It was only the other day that a prominent politician, in making a speech in connection with the by-election of the Delta, stated from the platform that the members recently returned by the electorate of Vancouver, were returned only through the influence of the under-world. After inquiry as to who the under-world were in his estimation, he claimed it was the Hotelmens influence that elected the members!

Football for Parties

Gentlemen, are we going to continue to be the football for politicians and political parties? Are we going to continue to shoulder the responsibilities for the reputations of "blind pig" operators and every other disreputable institution? Hotelmen are no longer in the class of old-time saloon keepers, but are dignified citizens of the community, carrying on one of the basic industries of the country. Good hotels are the best advertisement the community can have. There is nothing that can make or mar the reputation of any place as quickly as its hotels. I positively refuse to be dragged into the depths of degradation by this element. Is it not time that we organized and united our strength so as to let the politician and political parties know, and the public generally, that the hotel profession is the equal of any other profession, and that the hotel proprietors are responsible citizens, and have among their ranks some of the foremost business men of the province. The only way we can overcome this sentiment and receive the consideration that we are justly entitled to will be through organization.

Business in B. C.

The hotel business in the United States is the fourth industry of that great nation. We have 550 hotels in British Columbia, and I really believe, if we would go into question and compare the amount of money invested by us throughout the province, we will find more capital invested than in any other industry the province possesses.

Each state of the country south of us has its state hotel association, and let me tell you, gentlemen, it has been these state hotel associations that have raised the hotel business to the present high standard of perfection throughout the United States.

Slaves to Service

Your president, Mr. Weldon, in the course of a recent conservation, suggested how desirable it would be for hotel men to become interested in city associations such as the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club, the Kiwanis Club or the Gyro Club. The great trouble is that most of us have been, all our lives, slaves to service, and we feel that we have not got the time to devote to anything but our business. This is where we make a mistake. This is a period of adjustment, and the time when the country requires the best citizenship possible. We will never amount to anything in the estimation of the public unless we have the good will and esteem of the citizens where we are doing business. I would strongly urge every hotel man to identify himself with one or other of these clubs. They stand for all that is best in the hotel business—good service, a higher standard and good fellowship. I would go a little further and say that we, as hotel men, should encourage "home industry" as much as possible. Buy what is manufactured in our midst or in our province.

Our influence will depend upon the provincial organization, and when we have occasion to appear before the government, they will measure our merit by our membership and the influence we direct or wield.

I wish to congratulate you, Mr. Chairman, on this splendid banquet, and representative gather of hotel men from all parts of the province. I sincerely hope your efforts will be crowned with success to band our chosen profession into one harmonious whole which stands for better hotels, better protection, greater acquaintance among the hotel men, and a bond of fellowship that will continue for all time. I have endeavored, in my humble manner, to lay before you a few salient reasons why hotel men should be united into one harmonious whole.

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British-Israel Addresses.—A brilliant lecture on "Israel in the Isles" was delivered by Captain the Rev. Merton Smith at the James Bay Methodist Church last night. Captain Smith, who is staying in Victoria for a few days, will speak under the auspices of the Victoria British-Israel Association at the St. Mary's Church on Friday. The subject of his lecture will be "Early British History and the Introduction of Christianity Into Britain." He will also speak to-night at the James Bay Methodist Church on "Will the British Empire Join the League of Satan and Be Destroyed?" Captain Smith will lecture at different points throughout Canada en route to London, England.

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Flying Boat Meets Fleet.—The big flying boat F-3, which came over from Jericho Beach this morning and landed at Yarrows, Esquimalt, later went out to meet the Canadian naval vessels. The flying boat was piloted by Major MacLaurin, who was accompanied by Norman Yarrow. The fleet was met off Race Rocks.

BRIEF LOCALS

Fire At Borden Hotel.—A small fire at the Borden Hotel, Fort Street, shortly after 11.30 last night gave the fire department a short run to extinguish a minor blaze, little damage resulting.

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No Estimates Passed.—"Before we adjourn, I would like to know when we are going to consider our estimates," said Councillor Horner last night, after the Saanich Council had spent five hours discussing water meters, how water connections might be made without money, stables and sundry incidental matters of routine business.

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In County Court.—Judgment for the plaintiff in the suit of The Times Printing and Publishing Company versus Jay was given yesterday in the County Court by His Honor Judge Lampman. The action was one for recovery of the sum of $139.56, being the balance of unpaid advertising due to the plaintiff by the defendant. Sydney Child appeared for the plaintiffs, the suit being undefended.

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Army and Navy Monthly Meeting—The general monthly meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans will be held in the club rooms, Hamley Building, at 8. p.m. on Thursday evening, March 10. As matters of great importance will be brought before the meeting it is requested that members make a special effort to be present.

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Parent Teachers Meet.—At a meeting of the Victoria West Parent Teachers' Association last night, held in the Victoria West School, an interesting talk on Organized Play was delivered by Mrs. H. W. Graves, who touched on the physical and moral sides of school life, and referred to the value of the school as a social centre. Mr. Wilson, accompanied by Miss Polson, rendered a pleasing solo. A resolution was passed authorizing the grounds committee to plant trees in front of the school.

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To Meet Ratepayers.—The Saanich Council last night decided that, in view of their intention shortly to place another water extension by-law before the ratepayers, the Central Ratepayers' Association should be asked to meet the Water Committee in camera on Saturday, March 19, at the Council Chamber at Royal Oak, when full details of the proposed scheme of extension will be placed before the Association, with a view to securing their criticism and endorsation of the plan and active support for the by-law.

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No Fares to Prairies—The Saanich Council last night refused to agree to a proposal that an indigent family should be provided with transportation to their home in Alberta. Councillor Simpson said if the practise became established, Saanich would become the Winter home of scores of prairie people who in the Fall months, were able to scrape up the fare to the Coast, where they would feel assured of being kept in groceries during the Winter and their fares home paid in the Spring by the municipality.

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Esquimalt V. O. N.—The Esquimalt rural branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses is making an appeal through Mrs. Neal, the secretary at Colwood, for assistance in paying the transportation cost of the nurses. An endeavor is being made not only to keep up the present activities but to increase the scope of the work. Owing to the bad state of the roads the expenses of the car have been unusually heavy, with a consequent drain on the funds. Donations may be sent to Mrs. Neal, secretary of the Esquimalt Rural branch, Colwood, who will be happy to give any information as to the valuable work being carried out in the district by the Order.

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Conservative Club Meets.—In their club rooms at the Campbell Building, the Conservative Club members last night held the adjourned annual meeting, when the election of officers for the coming year was conducted. Captain N. A. Foster was chosen president; J. A. MacDonald, vice-president; William Duck, secretary, and R. H. Green, treasurer. An executive committee to represent Victoria was elected as follows: P. J. Sinnott, Alexander Stewart, S. A. Roberts, John Hammond and J. E. Huxtable. The Saanich, Oak Bay, and Esquimalt Associations are each to elect two members to the club executive. A large gathering attended, and several interesting addresses were delivered.

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Lectures on Rockies.—In the course of an absorbing lecture on "The Characteristics of the Canadian Rockies," delivered by A. O. Wheeler, F. R. G. S., before the Victoria section of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada last night a very fine collection of slides were shown on the screen illustrating the points made by the lecturer. Mrs. A. O. Wheeler operated the lantern, and was included in a very hearty vote of thanks tendered to the lecturer. The speaker dealt with the Canadian Rockies from the International Boundary to north of Mount Robson. At the close of the lecture Dr. J. S. Plaskett, honorary president of the Society, tendered a hearty apreciation to the lecturer for his able address on such an interesting subject.

To Lecture To-night.—An illustrated lecture will be given by H. E. Hallwright at the High School auditorium at 7.30 to-night. The lecture, which is to be on Gardening and Poultry, is in connection with the night classes on agriculture.

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To Debate Dress Reform.—The Young People's Department of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in the church, when Rev. J. G. Inkster will address the young folk. A debate will also follow, the subject being, "Resolved, That Modern Dress Needs Reform."

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Mrs. Graves to Speak.—The Craigflower Parent-Teacher Association will hold their usual meeting on Friday, March 11, at 8.45 in the school. Mrs. H. W. Graves will speak on "Supervised Playgrounds." A musical programme will be given by Mr. Stephen Morris and Master Frank Morris.

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Retails Meet.—Better trading with up-islands points was the theme of discussion at a meeting this morning of the Retail Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. As a result of the meeting certain recommendations will be made to the Chamber of Commerce executive pointing to better co-operation and trade relations with up-island districts.

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To Celebrate Board's Creation.—A general invitation has been issued to all real estate agents and their staffs to be present at a smoking concert which is to be given by the Executive of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange to celebrate the formation of the new Real Estate Board of Victoria. This will be held in the Conservative Club Rooms, Campbell Building, on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. A really excellent programme has been arranged, and it is hoped that all those connected with the real estate business in Victoria will attend.

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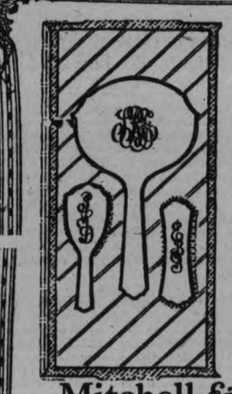
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Ward Taxation Opposed — The Ward Two Ratepayers' Association last night wrote the Saanich Council stating that it was opposed to any change in assessment system at present. The establishment of a ward system of levying rates was denounced as short sighted in view of an imminent arrangement of better terms between the municipalities and the Province.

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Girls' Corner Club—The club will meet as usual on Thursday in the club room, I. O. O. F. Hall, Douglas Street, where a hot supper for business girls will be served at 6.15 p.m. Rev. David Lister and Mrs. Lister will be visitors and Mr. Lister will address the girls. There will be a short musical programme, the meeting closing before 8 p.m. A hearty invitation is extended to any girl working in the city to be present.

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Fruitless Waiting.—After waiting for nearly three hours for the termination of an in camero discussion by the Saanich Council of water matters, Commander Noble was informed that the Council would consider at the next meeting road plans to give access to his homesite. The work was agreed to by the 1920 Council, but has been delayed by bad weather. Commander Noble is undertaking to pay most of the cost involved, and urged haste in commencing work, in order that construction work on his new home may be undertaken without delay.

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Protests Secret Discussions — "I want the public to know that I am opposed to this Council discussing public business in any such manner," said Councillor Brooks last night when the Saanich Council cleared the chamber for a three hour session of the Sewers and Water Committee. His motion that the deliberations be carried on in public was defeated by the votes of Councillors Horner, Ormond, Vantreight and McWilliams, the first named explaining he was merely upholding a previous decision favoring secrecy. Reeve Watson did not vote, but expressed himself as not being afraid of being quoted literally.

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NAVY LEAGUE CONVENTION

A party of Navy League officers arrived in the city to-day for the purpose of attending the convention which will open in the Stobart Building to-morrow. The party includes Gordon B. Jackson, Dominion Secretary of the Navy League; ex-Mayor C. F. Gray, President of the Manitoba Division; William Neill, Secretary, Manitoba Division, and J. A. Irvine, Secretary of the Alberta Division.

Gave Fine Concert.—The Belmont Avenue Methodist Church was filled to the doors last evening, when an excellent concert was given for church funds. Those who contributed to the delightful programme were: Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Mrs. Hearle, Mrs. Day, Miss Brooks, Miss Brynjolfsen, Miss Marguerite Wilkinson, Miss Boydell, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Langley, Messrs. Wm. Woods, Green, Holt, George Guy and Rev. J. H. Hobbins. During the evening instrumental selections were given by Parfitt's orchestra.

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Automobile Accident Case.—In the County Court this morning, before His Honor Judge Lampman, the suit of Picca versus Hobson and others was opened. The action is one for compensation to the amount of $725, asked by the plaintiff for damage alleged to have been received in an automobile accident. C. H. O'Halloran is appearing for the plaintiff and H. A. Beckwith for the defendants. The hearing is proceeding.

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Columbia Musical Club.—The social held by the club on Monday evening was one of the most pleasant yet held. Progressive five hundred was played for the first hour, and after refreshments had been served, Harold Diggon, assisted by J. Trace, gave a very clever and much enjoyed sleight-of-hand performance. The Misses Dumbleton in vocal duet, and Col. R. D. Davies, vocal solo, were very much appreciated. R. Heard, piano, and J. Pullen, violin, very kindly supplied the music for dancing.

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NEW COMMISSIONERS SEE MUCH WHILE ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

Dr. Hall and Joseph North Made First Inspection Tuesday

"We made our first tour of inspection together yesterday," stated Dr. Ernest Hall, police commissioner, to The Times to-day, in connection with a round of visits which he and Commissioner Joseph North paid Tuesday night to a number of cabarets and Chinese resorts in the city, "and I want to say here that we were received very cordially and everywhere treated with the greatest courtesy."

"We saw lots, and we have a tremendous amount of material to meditate upon, and I assure you that the result of these meditations will be the expression of the will of the people at the polls recently," he stated.

There has yet been no meeting of the board. In the absence of the Mayor, Acting Mayor Todd has refused to call a meeting of the police board until it has become eccential, it is asserted.

During the tour of inspection by the new police commissioners, the party paid a visit to the Winter Gardens Cabaret, and were later seen at the Lodge Cabaret on Johnson Street, and also in Chinatown.

ASSERTS TIME LIMIT SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN PARKING LAWS

Motorists Fined for Leaving Cars in Prohibited Areas

That under the parking regulations of the street by-law no time limit had been set, and that a person quitting the motor car for even a few seconds in a prohibited area was an offender was determined in the police court to-day when seven charges were laid under this section of the city ordinances.

City Prosecutor C. L. Harrison stated that in most other cities there was a time limit act, to divide between what was actually parking, and what was momentary visitation. This time limit averaged 20 minutes in most cities, including Seattle and Vancouver. The time limit should be universal he contended. In the city by-law no time is stated and anyone leaving a car in a prohibited area for any space of time whatever is technically guilty of the offense.

Beside parking cars in prohibited areas of the business section, cars left at wrong angles will also induce prosecution of their owners under this section of the street regulations, it was intimated to-day. J. S. Brandon, charged with parking a car wrongfully under this section, pleaded not guilty and stated he wished to contest the by-law. The case was remanded without a date set.

M. L. Sweeney, Alfred Tyrell, C. G. Owen, Mrs. R. S. Ross, J. S. McCallum, J. V. Boyd and Col. C. B. Russell, were similarly charged and each fined $5.

Other Cases.

R. A. Heather, G. Bevan, W. Hill and M. Maxwell were each fined $3 for riding cycles without the necessary light after dark. Cameron & Caldwell and A. J. Woodward were fined $5 for failing to have their 1921 licenses affixed to their motor cars. Jack Smith was fined $10 for turning a motor vehicle at a place other than the intersection of the street on which he wished to reverse his direction.

Angus Shaw was charged with failing to have the new license plate affixed to his car, but the charge was withdrawn when it was learned that through a mistake at the license office his number plate had been sent up into the interior, and had not yet returned.

No Fires After Sunset.

Wo Lee, charged with permitting a fire on his property after sunset was fined $10 with $2.50 costs for an interpreter. Wo Lee was defended by D.P.W. Maunsell, who stated the accused was clearing out a stump on his land. Fire Chief Stewart gave evidence which led to the conviction of the accused.

Dudley Gilmour, charged with obtaining money by false pretense from P. A. Fitzimmons, elected trial in the higher court, but was not committed for trial, as the informant it was stated, had been later paid, and now did not wish to give further evidence.

CITY LOBBYISTS TO ARRIVE HERE MONDAY

Delayed, They Will Start Revenue Fight Next Week

The long-expected delegation from the Union of B. C. Municipalities, which is to conduct a lobby among House Members for increased financial assistance for the cities and districts of the Province, will arrive here next Monday, it was learned to-day. The Union heads had planned to descend upon the House last Monday, but were delayed.

During the rest of this week the Union Executive will meet in Vancouver to make plans for the lobby. A lengthy document, setting forth the claims of the municipalities, has been prepared and copies of it will be laid before all members of the House. As a matter of fact, the printing of this document has delayed the arrival of the delegation here.

CERTIFICATE SUSPENDED.

Vancouver, March 9.—The marine inquiry into the accident to the steamship Princess Beatrice, which occurred three weeks ago, absolved everybody from blame except First Mate Springall, whose certificate was suspended for three months. It was found that Springall was on the wrong course for fifty minutes without knowing it.

VICTORIA WELCOMES CANADA'S NAVY
IT is but fitting that this city, whose early history is so interwoven with remembrances of the Royal Navy, should be first to greet Canada's ships of war at their Pacific base. Cordial, indeed, is the welcome extended by the citizens of Victoria to the officers and men of Canada's Navy.
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Rabbit Breeders Meet.—In the Y. M. C. A. building last evening the monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Rabbit Breeders' Association was held, when five additional members joined the rolls. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation to Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Sadler of a gift, on the occasion of their recent marriage. An exhibit of Rufus Red, and Utility Belgian hares was made, in which W. J. Lynn, Mrs. L. Blakeney, and A. J. Cullen contributed notable specimens. A ten-day old rabbit was exhibited by Mr. Cullen, who has undertaken to raise the little fellow by artificial means.

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Mlle. Adrienne Baland, known as the leading "ace" of the French airwomen, will make a tour of South America, representing her country as aerial missionary.

Times Latest Sporting News

Play in Jackson Cup Series Now Arranged

Games In First Round For City Championship Will Be Played on Saturday, March 19; All Senior and Some of Intermediate Teams Expected to Enter; No Entries Received After Tuesday Next.

Play in the series for the Jackson Cup, emblematic of the soccer championship of Victoria, will open on Saturday, March 19, according to a decision made at a meeting of the district executive of the B. C. P. F. A. held last evening.

All clubs which intend to enter for this titular series are requested to have their applications, accompanied by the regular entrance fee of $2, in the hands of Archie Baker, secretary of the Victoria and District Football Association, P. O. Box 1595, or care of the G. W. V. A., before Tuesday evening next. No applications received after that date will be considered, as the draw for the first round will be made that evening.

Nine Teams Expected.

The six clubs which competed in the Senior League, Metropolis, Victoria Wests, Yarrows, G. W. V. A., Comrades and Sons of England will all enter for this series and it is possible that the Wholesalers may shove in an all-star eleven and the Garrison and Metropolis intermediates try their gait in the faster company. All clubs which enter must be affiliated with the B. C. P. F. A., which carries an additional tax of $2.50.

The Jackson Cup series is played on the knock-out system. The winning teams on the first round will be drawn against each other for the second round until the final round is reached. It will not take long to determine the champions.

Wests Present Holders.

At present the Wests are the possessors of the Cup. They won it last year after keen competition. Manager Youson, of the Wests, is building up a strong team with the hope of landing the championship again this season, but he will find stiff opposition from the Mets and Yarrows.

The team which captures the Jackson Cup will be considered the champions of Victoria and earn the right to enter in the B. C. football championship, which carries with it the McBride Shield. Last year the Wests met Cumberland for the B. C. honors and lost out after a keen game.

The fans and players here are glad to know that the Jackson Cup series has at last been arranged. The games always provide very interesting competition and this season should prove no exception to the rule.

At a joint meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association and the Vancouver Island League last night James Adam, president of the local body, was unanimously endorsed as president of the district executive of the B. C. P. F. A. The Jackson Cup series will be handled directly by this district executive, which consists of the president, Bob Livingstone, Jack Sullivan, T. Briggs and W. J. Pearson.

Yarrows will entertain the famous South Wellington team here on Saturday afternoon in an Island League fixture. This match will prove a strong drawing card, as the miners threaten to oust Nanaimo from the leadership of the league. Yarrows expect to give the Wellington boys a hard battle, and with a dry footing they should let the miners know that there is to be no gift about the game.

The Wests and Mets will be idle this week-end.

Games arranged in the Victoria Combination League for Saturday will be as follows:

Comrades vs. Sons of England, at Beacon Hill Lower Grounds. Referee, Locke.

Garrison vs. G. W. V. A., at Work Point. Referee, Jasper.

Both games will start at 3 o'clock. Considerable interest attaches to these games. The War Vets have a scant lead at present, but should they lose to the Garrison and the Comrades breeze through with a win over the Sons, the Comrades will be entitled to first place and the championship.

The Metropolis intermediates have received permission of the league to journey to Ladysmith to meet the intermediates there in a game on Saturday.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS SET

Vancouver and New Westminster Will Send Teams to Play Against Victoria

Entry forms and rules covering the year's tournament were released today by the Victoria Y. M. C. A. to clubs in this district. The tournament this year has been organized on a slightly different plan to that of previous seasons.

The tournament for a number of years has been conducted by Y. M. C. A.'s of Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria, each of whom has been responsible for staging the competitions in rotation annually.

While the finals are allotted to Victoria for 1921, a new plan to eliminate needless expense of travel for a larger number of teams, has been evolved, by which means New Westminster will stage an elimination series for their area, Vancouver doing likewise for Vancouver City and district, the winners of these two mainland groups then determining their best team in each classification, sending over the three winning teams for the finals here. In the meantime Victoria will stage competitions for this part of the island, and be prepared to put up a strong battle through her representative teams for the three shields, emblematic of the various weight divisions.

The championships at stake will be the same as in former years:

Class "C" teams being under 110 pounds.

Class "B" teams being from 110-125 pounds.

Class "A" teams being from 125-135 pounds.

All competitors must be under their seventeenth birthday, March 1, this year.

The 135-pound championship is held by the Victoria First Presbyterians, the 110-pound and 135-pound shields by New Westminster clubs.

Entries must be in hand by March 19, play as usual being fixed for the gymnasium of the local Y. M. C. A. The physical director, W. S. Maguire, will be glad to get in communication with any clubs in the district desirous of placing teams in the primary round.

GIRL BASKETBALLERS IN FURIOUS BATTLES

Fairfield "Fairies" Double Score on Metropolitans and Lagging Behind

The "A" series game in the Ladies Basketball League played last night at the First Presbyterian gymnasium, was an exceedingly speedy affair. The Metropolitan "Mermaids" put up a fine game against the Fairfield "Fairies" and were leading four to two at half time chiefly through the fine shooting of Elsie Wilby, who scored all four points.

The "Fairies," however, came through with a whirlwind finish and before the second period was half over had gained the lead, Nonie Ross being responsible for most of the baskets.

The "Mets" worked hard to tie up the score, Mary McFadden and Helen Colpitts playing a hard game, but no more points were added. Mabel Charlton scored once more for the "Fairies," who finally won out by eight points to four.

The teams were as follows:

"Metropolitans—Elsie Wilby, May Lewis, Mary McFadden, Helen Colpitts and Blossom Barnett.

"Fairfields"—Winona Ross, Thelma Lockwood, Mabel Charlton, Vivian Moggey and Annie Baxter.

Earl Squires refereed.

Live Wires Win.

"Live Wires" doubled the score on the "Wide Awakes" after being three points behind at half-time and won out by eight to four.

Live Wires and St. Andrew's are now tied for first place in the "B" Ladies series.

Winnie Hogg and Sadie Bird scored three points each for the Live Wires; Catherine Robertson and Eleanor Dinsdale scoring for Wide Awakes.

The teams were as follows:

Live Wires—Rose Baikie, Winnie Hogg, Sadie Bird, Elma Hutchison and Evelyn McFarlane.

Wide Awakes — Queenie Wilson, Dorothy Sheret, Catherine Robertson, Eleanor Dinsdale and Jean Brogan.

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Yankees' Trio of Marvellous Sluggers Causing Much Commotion in American League; Ruth Bangs Out Seven "Homers" During First Day's Practice; Opposing Pitchers Will Not Be Able to Pass Him Up in Future Owing to Baker Following; News From Baseball Camps.

New York, March 9.—Seven managers of American League clubs are losing a lot of sleep trying to figure out how they can stop the heavy artillery of the Yankees during the coming season. With Baker back in the fold, "Babe" Ruth becomes even more formidable than he was last season.

Pitchers this years will not be able to pass the "Bambino" so often in the pinches, for Baker following him in the batting order is almost equally as dangerous. And behind Baker is Pipp, another slugger, who is likely to break up games. Therefore, opposing pitchers will have to pitch to Ruth or run the risk of having more runs piled up on them by the pair that will follow him.

Ruth is banking on this situation to equal or break the record he made last year, confident that the "intentional pass" will not recur as often in 1921 as it did when he was slamming out his record of fifty-four home runs.

Banging 'Em Out.

At Shreveport, La., on Monday, when the Yankees opened up their training season Babe Ruth's day's work comprised seven drives over the right field fence, two over the centre field section and numerous clouts which rebounded from the boards. His batting is as good as last year if you can judge by the skyrockets he shoots from the end of his bat.

Richard Kerr, hero of the 1919 world's series and southpaw ace of Kid Gleason's White Sox, drifted into the Sox Texas training camp yesterday, and after a short conference with "Kid" Gleason announced he was no longer a hold-out. Kerr came from his home at Paris, Texas, and as evidence of the fact that he intends to jump right into training he brought all his diamond tools along. "We're both satisfied," was the only comment made by Gleason.

Ty Cobb blew into camp at San Antonio, Texas, on Monday from his home at Augusta, Ga., and the boys flocked out to the park about fifteen minutes after the new Tiger boss dropped his satchels in the hotel.

Tom Griffith, the big outfielder of the Brooklyn Dodgers, incurred the first casualty of the season when he spiked himself chasing flies at McKee Field, Hot Springs. He was barely able to walk for a couple of days.

A revised edition of the Boston Red Sox team had its first practice of the season at Hot Springs, Ark., where the club arrived Monday for its Spring training, according to word received yesterday. Pitcher Thormalen and Catcher Ruel, the battery acquired from the New York Americans in a recent trade, as well as John Collins and Harry Liebold, whom the Red Sox obtained last week from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for Harry Hooper, turned out for the first time yesterday.

Batterymen of the Boston National League baseball team had their first workout of the season on Monday at the club's training camp at Galveston, Texas. With the arrival of Dick Rudolph, 14 pitchers and three catchers will be at the camp and the roster will be full.

The first base problem of the St. Louis Nationals has been settled, according to advices from the training camp at Orange, Texas. Jack Fournier, who played that position last season, rejoined the club on Monday.

Lincolnshire Handicap Opens Greatest Racing Season on Monday Next

London, March 9.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Betting to-day on the Grand National was: Eamon Beag, 10 to 1; Turkey Buzzard, 100 to 9; Old Tay Bridge, 100 to 8; The Bore, 100 to 6; Bally Boggan, Shaun Spadah, 20 to 1; Halton, 33 to 1; Blazers, 40 to 1.

Betting on the Lincolnshire to-day was: Ugly Duckling, 11 to 2; Cornsack, 15 to 2; Poltava, 10 to 1; Earna, 100 to 9; Clarion, Valentine Vox, 100 to 7; Dynamo, 20 to 1; Archgift, 100 to 8; Dola, 40 to 1.

London, March 9.—(By Canadian Press)—Easter falls early this year and as a consequence the flat racing season opens at Lincoln at the unusually early date of Monday, March 14 next. Notwithstanding the heavily increased cost of training and swelling expenses connected with the ownership of horses, the turf was never so prosperous as to-day, there was never so large a number of horses in training, nor have ever so high an average of prices been paid for the thoroughbred whether for stud purposes or as a racing machine.

In proof of this reference need only be made to acceptances for the Spring handicaps, which constitute a number of records. Thus for the Lincolnshire Handicap, run on Wednesday, March 16, over the famous Carholme course, original entries numbered 77 and of these 23 paid forfeit after the handicap was published, leaving a possible field of 54. The Grand National, the blue ribband of steeple-chasing, which is run over the tremendous Aintree country at Liverpool on Friday, March 18, furnished a record entry of 92, of whom only 19 declared forfeit after the weights were announced, which is a considerable tribute to the work of the handicapper.

First of Spring Race.

The Lincolnshire, which is run over the straight mile, owes its prominence to the fact that it is the first of the Spring handicaps, and cannot otherwise compare in importance with such races as the City and Suburban, run at Epsom on April 12, or the Jubilee, run at Kempton Park on May 7 next. Except for the war years, 1916-1918, the Lincolnshire has been run continuously since 1853, and though it does not now often attract the highest class of handicap horse, largely because it is run so early in the season when training is a hard ordeal, its winners contain names of several equestrian giants, including in 1885 that of the famous Bendigo.

The announcement of the acceptances was followed promptly by the opening of a book, when Mr. Fraser's chestnut mare Earna, popularly regarded as one of the best handicapped horses in the race, was established favorite. Mares, however, seldom do well on the Carholme, the last one to win the race being Little Eva in 1901. Among others backed to win were the top weight, Flotava, Scranus, Dynamo, Ugly Duckling, Valentine Vox, False Report, Cornsack and half a dozen more.

Act as Primaries.

The flat racing season, while formally opened at Lincoln, and followed by the important meeting at Liverpool, where the Spring Cup, run over a mile and three furlongs, is the opening feature, and by a number of other provincial meetings, is largely a matter of plates and handicaps until the meeting at Newbury on April 1, when the Greenham Stakes is run over a straight mile. This race invariably brings out a number of "classic" performers among the three-year-olds, who later on take part in the Guineas at Newmarket and the Derby at Epsom. Immediately following Newbury racing opens at turf "headquarters" at Newmarket with the Craven meeting.

Customs change in the conduct of racing. About the middle of last century a feature of the sport at the beginning of the year was the performance of the three-year-olds in the Spring handicaps, and this particularly seems to have been the case in the long-distance races, where it might have been supposed the young animals were at a special disadvantage. Glancing back at old calendars it is found that nine three-year-olds started for the City and Suburban of 1864 and one finished second; nine also started next year, when one of them was beaten by a head, the third also being of the same age. The great Metropolitan of Epsom dates from 1846. The first three races were won by three-year-olds, as were others on eight occasions during the next eleven years. The City and Suburban was originated in 1851, and in the course of the following six years five three-year-olds won it. The young ones have held their own in the Chester Cup, providing five winners in the six years from 1851.

Young 'Uns Not So Good.

The Lincolnshire Handicap has not been so marked, though the third time it was run a three-year-old won it, as did another two seasons later. Now, no three-year-old has w onthe Lincolnshire Handicap for nearly thirty years, since Wolf Crags did so in 1893; only one, the French filly Brambilla, has taken the City and Suburban since 1903; one has to go back to 1891 to find a three-year-old winner of the great Metropolitan—Ragimunde. Only one three-year-old, Monarch, is entered this year in the Lincolnshire, and very few in the other Spring handicaps. The reason generally given is that now there are so many valuable weight-for-age races in which these youngsters can compete without being put to the strain of racing in bigger company early in the season. Another reason may be that while there is an undoubted increase in speed, there is also a falling off in stamina in the thoroughbred as compared with half a century ago.

Monarch Favored.

Mention has been made above to Sir Henry Bird's colt, Monarch, who at 105 pounds is among the acceptances for the Lincolnshire Handicap. This fashionably bred colt — by Tracery—Teofani—had a distinguished record as a two-year-old last season, winning the Middle Park Plate, and being placed equal with Leighton at top of the Free Handicap last Autumn, being thus recognized by the official handicapper as best of his year. He is entered for both the Guineas and Derby, and should he run in the Lincolnshire Handicap it will be an almost unprecedented thing in recent years for a colt of "classic" pretensions to be seen out so early and in such company.

FIRST PREBYTERIANS WIN.

The First Presbyterian Ice Hockey team defeated St. Andrew's aggregation last night by a score of 5 to 0.

CHRIST CHURCH WIN.

The Christ Church Ice Hockey team defeated the Belmont "Comets" at the Arena last night by a score of 17 to 4.

Date Set for First World's Hockey Game

Eastern and Western Champions Will Meet on Coast on Monday, March 21; Impossible to Tell What Teams Will Be In Titular Series; Any of Coast Teams May Make Grade; Two Eastern Teams Compete.

According to a wire from Vancouver this morning the first game in the world's hockey series for the Stanley Cup will be played on the Coast on Monday, March 21. The scene of the tussle and the participants are at present unknown. The Eastern cup-holders will be decided by a series of two games between the Senators, of Ottawa, and St. Pats, of Toronto, while the challengers will be one of the three teams in the P. C. H. A.

If Seattle succeeds in winning to-night's game from Vancouver on the former's ice, the play-off will be between those teams. The first game will be played in Vancouver on Monday night and the second in Seattle on Wednesday, March 16. The total goals scored will decide the issue.

OTTAWA AND ST. PATS TO PLAY TO-MORROW

Games in Play-off for N. H. L. Title to Be Played This Week

Toronto, March 9.—There appears to be some confusion with regard to the two dates between Ottawa and St. Patricks in the N. H. L. play-off. The date for the game at Toronto is announced as March 12. This date at the Toronto Arena, however, already has been secured for the second game between Varsity and the Soo in the Allan Cup elimination series and tickets have already been sold.

Montreal, March 2.—Owing to the Toronto Arena being already let for March 12, the date of the play-off in Toronto between St. Patricks and Ottawa for the championship of the National Hockey League and the right to go to the Pacific Coast for the Stanley Cup games, has been shifted to March 14. The date of the first game at Ottawa, March 10, is not altered.

Montreal, March 9.—At the special meeting of N. H. A., held in the Windsor Hotel yesterday afternoon, the following dates for the play-off for the championship of the National Hockey League games were assigned: At Ottawa, March 10; Toronto, March 12, and, if a third game is necessary, at Hamilton, March 15.

Ottawa and Toronto are the respective champions of the National Hockey League, first and second half season.

Cooper Smeaton will referee the Ottawa-Toronto games. On the Pacific Coast, Mickey Ion will referee.

The winners of the N. H. League championship will play in the Stanley Cup series against either Vancouver, Seattle or Victoria, starting March 21.

The recall of Cully Wilson from the Canadiens by St. Patricks was confirmed by the meeting, but Wilson was declared ineligible for the play-off between the Ottawa-Toronto teams.

It was decided to apply the $500 fine recently collected from the Ottawa club to the Joe Hall memorial fund.

The winner of the Ottawa-Toronto series will go to the Coast, and will play for the Stanley Cup and the world's championship in three games out of five.

Uniform Rules.

Uniform rules will be arranged with the probable agreement that the teams play six men, with the forward pass increased to thirty feet each side of centre, and the Pacific Coast penalty system in effect.

FALCONS AND DULUTH IN LONG DRAWN GAME

Played Two Periods Overtime Without Breaking Up Tie; Other Hockey Games

Duluth, Minn., March 9.—Duluth American Legion team and the Falcons of Winnipeg, played a two-to-two tie here last night at hockey, two over time periods failing to break the score.

Winnipeggers Win.

Philadelphia, March 9.—The Winnipeg Amateur Ice Hockey team defeated the All-Stars last night 8 to 2.

Indian Head Victors.

Regina, March 8.—Indian Head defeated Lumsden here last night by a score of 3 to 2, in a Saskatchewan intermediate elimination contest for the Henderson Cup, the winning team now entering the semi-finals. The next game here Thursday night is between Indian Head and Milestone.

Saskatoon Beat Yorkton.

Saskatoon, March 9.—Saskatoon successfully emerged from the semi-final game for the Henderson Cup here last night, when they defeated the Yorkton team by 7 to 2.

Play Overtime in Slush.

Ottawa, March 9.—Playing thirty minutes overtime in water and slush failed to break the tie of one to one in the Allan Cup game between St. Brigid's and the Gunners here last night.

Chance For Upset.

But there is apt to be a little upset in these dates. If Vancouver should upset the dope and trim the Mets to-night Victoria will still have a chance to get into the play-off. A defeat here on Friday night for Vancouver would bring Victoria within one game of Seattle, and Manager Lester Patrick would then be able to arrange for the replay of the tie game of last Friday with Seattle. A win for Victoria in the replay would bring the Mets and Caps tie for second play, necessitating a sudden death game to decide the issue. There is no doubt but that the Caps could nose out Seattle in such a contest. Everything, however, depends upon how the Millionaires get along in Seattle to-night. Their defeat annihilates Victoria from the play-off.

Many inquiries are being received by the Victoria Hockey Club as to the condition of the popular skipper, Eddie Oatman. Yesterday Eddie had an X-ray picture taken of his spine, and it revealed that the injuries are not as dangerous as at first reported. To-day Eddie was stepping around almost as speedily as before his smash-up, and tried to persuade Manager Patrick that he was fit enough to jump into Friday night's game and help the Capitals come through with a win. Eddie's plea landed on ears as deaf as those of the sphinx.

If Victoria should be favored to get into the critical games with Seattle for second place, Manager Patrick may allow Eddie to get back into the game provided the doctor says the exercise will carry with it no further complications. Its a hard job to keep a hockey player on the fence when he is injured. There's a sort of fever about the old game.

Seattle, March 9.—The Champion Mets and the league-leading Vancouver septets will be pitted at the Arena to-night in the last local game of the regular schedule, and one of the largest crowds of the year is expected to be on hand to see Seattle clash with the Millionaires in an effort to cinch a place in the play-off. Vancouver has qualified for the finals, while the Mets can step into the two-game series by turning back the red-jerseyed invaders.

All other "crucial" games of the year are dwarfed by the importance of this evening's tussle. It's do or perhaps lose a place in the finals with the Seattle veterans, and Pete Muldoon's players are primed for the game which will ease their minds or prolong their suspense. And the Northerners realize the seriousness of the case. Believing they will meet with the fiercest attack of the season from the Mets they have cajoled bald-pated Cyclone Taylor to pack up his outfit and make the trip.

Walker Doubtful.

Seattle's front depends upon Jack Walker. If the foxy rover is able to skate at all he will be out there, with the remainder of the Met complement the same, but if his knee will not stand it the players will be switched. Murray will take Riley's left wing position and Big Jim will handle the rover berth should Walker be unable to start. The squad is fast regaining the strength expended in that long game and they will be faster and stronger than Vancouver expects. Then, too, the locals are known as the best money players in the league so local fans are looking for them to rise to the occasion.

The Lineups:

The probable lineups follow:

Vancouver.	Position.	Seattle.
Lehman	Goal	Holmes (c)
Cook (c)	L.D.	Rowe
Duncan	R.D.	Rickey
Mackay	Rover	Riley
Harris	L.W.	Murray
Taylor	Centre	Foyston
Skinner	R.W.	Morris
J. Adams	Spare	Manson
W. Adams	Spare	Tobin
Desireau	Spare	

Referee—Ion.

LEONARD CANCELS BOUT OWING TO SEVERE COLD

New York, March 9.—Postponement of the match between Benny Leonard, world's lightweight champion boxer, and Rocky Kansas, of Buffalo scheduled to be held here March 17, was announced to-day. A heavy cold has prevented Leonard from training.

Polly Green Wins By K. O.

Montreal, March 9.—Polly Green, local bantamweight, knocked out Harry Coulon, of Rochester, in the last round of their ten-round bout here last night.

Joe Ritchie, of Newark, lightweight, earned the decision over George Girardin, of Montreal, in a ten-round bout.

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SOOKE GOES NICELY AGAINST JORDANITES

Won Two Basketball Games and Drew One; Evening Finishes With Dance

Sooke Harbor, March 9.—Monday night was gala night for the Sooke Harbor Basketball Club, when over two hundred persons packed into the club's gymnasium and literally went mad with excitement in their rooting for their respective favorites in three of the most interesting games staged here this season. Practically the entire population of Sooke, Otter Point and Jordan River were there and never has such a scene of animation been witnessed at the games here before. There were actually more people than the hall could accommodate and men and boys had to content themselves with watching the games through the windows of the hall.

The first game was between the Sooke Harbor's "B" team and Otter Point, in the Winkler Cup series. It ended in a draw, 15 points each, after an exceptionally hard tussle in which brute strength seemed to be the predominating feature.

The teams were:

Sooke—A. Donaldson, L. Smith, G. McIntosh, F. Cullum, R. Norton and A. Stewart.

Otter Point—A. Gray, R. Clarke, W. Shambrook, F. Cross, C. Stoutt and H. Stoutt.

Joe Sanderson refereed.

In the second game, also in the Winkler Cup series, the Sooke Harbor "A" team badly defeated the Jordan River "B" team after a fast and open game by a score of 34 to 11.

The teams were:

Sooke—T. Wright, W. Liddell, Bob Acreman, R. Acreman and Bert Acreman.

Jordan River—Dean Coleman, A. Julest, J. McVicar, A. Homewood and P. Jiacoma.

Joe Sanderson also refereed this game.

The Drawing Card.

The third game in which all interest was centred and which was really responsible for the exceptionally large turn out, particularly of the ladies and children, was between the children of the Jordan River and Sooke Harbor Schools, in the first game of the series for a cup recently presented by Major Nicholson. The spectators were fully rewarded for turning out for they watched an exceptionally fast and interesting game ending in a score of 10-4 in favor of Sooke. The Sooke children were slightly heavier than their opponents and probably won on this account for the children of the electricians at the River were much more agile and better shots.

The teams were as follows:

Jordan River—Daisy King, Helen Anderson, Ruth Sorenson, Bunny Walker and A. King.

Sooke—Verna Cullum, Lilian Helgerson, Jean Nicholson, Teddy Barber and Clifford Chatters.

T. Wright refereed.

A Real Night Out.

It was made a real old time country night and old and young danced and made merry till the early hours of the morning.

BELMONTS AND FIRSTS BATTLE FOR TOP PLACE

To-night at 9.30 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A., Belmonts and First Presbyterians will fight for the league leadership in the Senior "A" S. S. Basketball Series.

Both teams are tied for first place in the league standing and the game to-night should prove about the fastest and most exciting of the season.

Ted Hopkins will handle the whistle.

The teams will line up as follows:

Belmonts—Moore, Brindley, Wilkinson, Dangerfield, Jones.

Firsts—Boyd, McKinnon, Little, Webster, Forbes, Hudson.

To-night's programme is as follows: 9 o'clock—Intermediates, Belmonts vs. Oh-We-Go's. 9.35—Senior "A," Belmonts vs. First Presbyterians.

ALBION CRICKETERS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

The Albion Cricket Club held its annual general meeting in the office of Lee & Fraser last evening.

The following officers were elected for the coming season as follows: President, Dr. Hudson; vice-president, A. N. Mouat; honorary vice-presidents, Hon. John Oliver, Hon. John Hart, Hon. W. Sloan, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Canon Hinchliffe, Messrs. C. B. Deaville, F. Boyston, L. D. Trimen, David Doig, Alderman Sangster, Messrs. S. Drake, N. A. Yarrow, M. B. Lloyd, W. Turnbull, Crowan and H. F. Bishop; captain, G. H. Walton, vice-captain, E. Parson; secretary and league delegate, F. Bossom; treasurer, F. Jordan; committee, Messrs. E. Parsons (chairman), Butterworth, Pite, Barclay, H. A. Ismay and Attwell.

This year is a notable one in the club's history, as, after many years' use of the familiar ground at Beacon Hill, a move is being made to the fine new ground in the Willows oval, which has been taken over by the club. An excellent pitch has been prepared by E. Verrall, together with a separate practice pitch. This has been done at considerable expense.

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A. M. REDPATH NEW HEAD OF V.I.A.A.

Club Holds Annual Meeting and Splendid Season Is Predicted by Officers

At the annual meeting of the V. I. A. A. held last evening W. H. Davies, superintendent of the organization, submitted a lengthy but interesting report which dealt with the great success which has been achieved by the Association last year. He also spoke optimistically of the future.

A. M. Redpath succeeded George Warren as president of the V. I. A. A. and Russell Ker will be the vice-president. The other officers will be as follows: Secretary-treasurer, A. H. Davies; executive committee, Harry Boyd, Wm. Huxtable, Jack Aldros, Geo. Corkle, Max Kilburger, Irving Blythe, J. McCahill, Harry Jacques, Alex. Stevens, E. Beales, Ewart Lumsden and Jack McRae; ladies' committee, Mrs. Curry (chairman), Mrs. M. Davies, Mr. F. Gates, Miss Muriel Daniels, Miss Mary Dunn, Miss Alma Dunn and Miss Connie Beale. Captain ladies' basketball, Miss Florrie Gates.

A Little Of Its Future.

The part of the report submitted by Mr. Davies which dealt with the future activities of the club, is as follows:—

"The championships to be staged by our association during the coming season are the Pacific Northwest swimming, diving and water polo championships, which have been awarded us for the fourth consecutive time; the Ladies' Pacific Basketball Championship and the Pacific Boxing Championships. These big events will undoubtedly give this city a considerable amount of favorable publicity as a sport centre and should be the means of drawing a great number of tourists this year to the city.

"Regarding the coming swimming season I would suggest that special attention be given this year to the junior members, particularly in water polo. Personally I see no reason why a three or four team junior league could not be formed within the club. This should apply in regard to the ladies as well. We took the lead in this sport last year and we should keep it by teaching the game to all of our lady swimmers, which should permit us to field several teams later on in the Summer. I would also suggest that small galas be held every two weeks as soon as the swimming season starts.

"The basketball players have expressed a wish that an up-to-date open air court be laid out so that they can form a house league and play games on evenings all through the Summer. This I would strongly recommend as I predict next year will see a big revival in this sport and we should be prepared to field several strong teams at the commencement of the season."

DOMINION
TO-DAY
THOMAS MEIGHAN
Presents
"The Frontier of the Stars"
Sunshine Comedy—Fox News
Continuous 2-11

VARIETY
TO-DAY
DOROTHY GISH
In
"FLYING PAT"
Also Two-Reel Comedy
"The Rent Dodgers"

COLUMBIA
TO-DAY
TOM MIX
In
"The Heart of Texas Ryan"
Also
Comedy—"A Birthday Tangle"
"The Mystery of the Big Jewelry Theft"

ROYAL
TO-NIGHT
Presents
"Not Guilty"
You Will Like This Picture

at the Theatre

"SEPTEMBER MOON" SHOWN FIRST TO-DAY

Sparkling Musical Comedy Features New Pantages Show

"September Moon," an act presented especially by the master of vaudeville, Alexander Pantages, will headline this week's offering at Pantages Theatre. There is just a little bit of everything in the way of entertainment in "September Moon." As a matter of fact, it is a musical comedy in which only the best and breeziest features have been retained, making the production nothing less than a series of effective stage innovations, interspersed with lively music, dancing and mirth-producing side-lines.

In addition to a cast of four principals, all of whom are musical comedy favorites, there is a chorus of dainty damsels who, in addition to having more than a fair supply of beauty, know how to display their generous wardrobe which more or less—mostly less—conceals their personal charms.

"The Woman of a Thousand Mysteries" is the unique billing of the extra attraction of the bill to be presented by George L. Graves and his company. It tells the story of a woman who takes up crystal gazing and fortune telling as her profession. Her husband objects and there follows a series of complications that keep the audience in a constant state of wonderment and interest.

Away back in the truly rural districts there is a style of humor that is native to the class of humanity known as "rube." While some may think that those belong to this class are hopelessly simple, there is apt to be a surprise. This is the theme that runs through the act to be offered by Paul Quinn and Frank Caverly called "Lots for Sale." One is the promoter who trims the other with sales of suburban property.

Back to the Pacific slope comes Jessie Miller, "The Girl of the Golden West." Miss Miller will be heard in a musical repertoire which embraces selections on the cornet, piano and accordion.

Marva Rehn in "Nuttin' Doin'," presents her own songs, all odd ones, too, in her own inimitable manner. Marva is a true eccentric who takes pride in the fact, but she also possesses talent that enables her to "put across" a lot of real humor, and her act is regarded as one of the brightest spots on the bill.

"Speed and Smiles," is the title of the offering by Eddie Lo-Va and Jeanette Miller. This pair of superclass athletes are seen in a daring exhibition on the flying rings in midair. The sensations they work up are genuine thrillers.

Another episode in the Adventure serial "The Double Adventure" is included in the programme.

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Pantages—Vaudeville.
Columbia—"The Heart of Texas Ryan."
Variety—"Flying Pat."
Princess—"Sick-Abed."
Royal—"Not Guilty."
Dominion—"The Frontier of the Stars."
Cabaret—Winter Garden.

VARIETY

Dorothy Gish, the peppy little screen comedienne, believes a good motion picture should not end with marriage, but should begin with it. With this idea in mind, Miss Gish has made a specialty of portraying the young married woman on the screen. However, the Gish idea has not been to expound the problems of marriage, or even discuss the minimum in salary upon which two young folks today can take the plunge. Her pictures treat of the funny side of the little tragedies and comedies of newly wedded bliss. "Flying Pat," her latest comedy romance, will be the feature attraction at the Variety Theatre all this week.

PRINCESS

To-night at the Princess a side splitting farce will be presented by the Mildred Page Players, and it is screamingly funny. In "Sick-Abed" Byron Aldenn has the best comedy part he has yet been seen in, and one that he will handle in just the right manner. Miss Page as the faithful nurse, and in fact each of the players will delight their many friends when they see them in "Sick-Abed."

At to-night's performance the large framed portrait of James Coots will be presented to the one guessing nearest the correct number of words spoken by Byron Aldenn in the part of Joe, in "What Money Couldn't Buy," last week.

At the Saturday matinee of "Sick-Abed," the prizes will be given for the ones making the most words out of the name Genevieve Berkeley. Get your lists in early.

"Sick-Abed" will be presented tonight and the balance of the week at the Princess.

ROYAL VICTORIA

"Not Guilty," this week's attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre is a drama of such naturalness as to give it an appeal that is certain to prove irrestible. It is life. One feels it from the moment the first character makes his entrance. Every now and then the developing dramatic action is given a sudden twist and a real surprise is unfolded. Twin brothers love the same girl, but one is a murderer. The innocent one takes the guilty one's role. The girl loves first one and then the other. The action ranges from the heart of the Adirondacks to India. The villain is deeply villainous and the hero refreshingly self-effecting. There's a swing to the story which will please the patrons.

DOMINION

All of the members of the supporting cast of "The Frontier of the Stars," Thomas Meighan's new Paramount picture which is shown all week at the Dominion Theatre are well-known professionally. Leading the list is Faire Binney, of the Realart star, Constance Binney, who is Mr. Meighan's leading woman.

Alphonz Ethier, who plays Phil Hoyt, appeared in Lionel Barrymore's part in "The Jest" for a short time, when the star was rehearsing for a new play, and played in several Louis Bennison pictures.

Mary Hoyt is interpreted by Florence Johns, last seen on the New York stage as Susan in the John Drinkwater production of "Abraham Lincoln."

An excellent Sunshine comedy "Dangerous Eyes" and the ever interesting Fox News is also shown.

MAY ROBSON COMING.

When May Robson comes to the Royal Victoria Theatre one night only Monday March 14, in her new comedy "Nobody's Fool" from the pen of Alan Dale, one of the best known dramatic critics in the country, the theatre-goers who took forward every season to Miss Robson's visit will be more than delighted, for in the role of Mrs. Bixby, she had the best part she has had since the days of her wonderful success, "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary."

In "Nobody's Fool" Mr. Dale has given the public a glimpse of May Robson at home.

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COMING TO VARIETY NEXT WEEK

EXPERT TELLS WHY ROOFS DECAY

Difference of Temperature Inside and Out Present Problem

"The Causes and Prevention of Decay in Structural Timbers," was the subject of an interesting address by R. J. Blair, at a meeting of the Montreal branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada recently. The address was illustrated by a number of photos taken in Canada and the United States showing the decay in timber, caused by fungus growth.

Mr. Blair said that decay takes place in timbers which are either already weakened by fungus growths before being set in the building, or in which the growth is aided by an excess of humidity in the air near the timbers. One instance of the last was a cotton mill in which a cold water pipe ran for several hundred feet just below the cross-beams. This pip lowered the temperature of the atmosphere in its proximity sufficiently to raise the percentage of the humidity enough to start fungus growths, which in turn decayed the timbers to such an extent that they had to be renewed throughout the length of the building. Another instance which would have produced disastrous effects if not checked in time was a building in which one of the main supporting timbers was resting on the ground as a base. The moisture started decay, and the foot of the pier began to crumble away.

This decay probably attacks roofs more than anything else, as moisture is more liable to work its way in and cause decay. The difference of temperature between the interior and the exterior surfaces, and the consequent varying humidities, creates a situation under which decay progresses very favorably.

Mr. Blair stated his objections to a theory held by some achitects that a dead air space between the interior and the exterior surfaces prevents such decay, by showing examples in which decay was as rampant as in any other type of roof. In his opinion, the most successful roof is one in which the upper part of the roof (boarding, paper, tar and gravel, etc.) is of sufficient thickness to maintain at its inner edge a temperature of 59 degrees under the lowest atmospheric conditions. At this point waterproofing layer should be introduced and below that the wood boarding should be treated chemically to keep out moisture. This should be of sufficient thickness to maintain at the surface in contact with the weather-proofing a temperature of 59 degrees under the highest atmosperic conditions. Another reason for decay setting in is the use of green, unseasoned timber.

As a means of overcoming these growths of fungi, all moisture should be drawn from the timbers and the place in which they are used made as dry as possible. If this method of defence fails, the timber after being dried may be treated with mercury chloride. This failing, the building should be wrecked. Timbers which are under water all the time are safe.

DR. HOPPIN WAS WARMLY WELCOMED

Famous Archaeologist Spoke Here Last Night; on Tour in Northwest

While the interest in archaeology is limited in a new country, like the Pacific Northwest, there is a growing interest in the fascinating study of the earlier civilizations, Dr. Joseph Clark Hoppin, of Pomfret, Connecticut, told The Times last evening, on his arrival to lecture here.

Dr. Hoppin, famous authority on ceramics of early ages and author of several books on the subject, came to the city to lecture under the auspices of the Archaeological Society of America, and spoke on the subject of "Greek Vases" to the audience at the High School auditorium last evening.

Discussing his subject with The Times he states that the modern world is fairly well supplied with examples of early Attic art, dating from the sixth century B. C. owing to the fact that many were removed to use in Etruscan interments, and thus often erroneously associated with Etruscan art. The explorations of the latter part of the eighteenth and early part of the nineteenth century, at many points around the Mediterranean, had disclosed many specimens. Many of these collections passed into private hands, and from thence into public museums, being therefore well preserved. Boston and New York museums he mentioned as being very well supplied with specimens.

Dr. Hoppin lectured in Vancouver on Monday evening, and left again for Seattle where he will speak, proceeding to Portland. During this tour he is dividing his time between lectures on Greek Vases and on Egypt.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

Price of Bread.

Nanaimo: In the Nanaimo City Council Monday a resolution was carried to ascertain the price of bread in Vancoumer, as in Nanaimo the citizens are paying eleven cents a loaf.

Sudden Death.

Port Alberni: L. Arnold Hanna has returned home from a trip to Nootka on the steamship Maquinna. He was called to Nootka to investigate the sudden death of Mr. Strang. It was found that Mr. Strang died from heart failure, following an attack of acute indigestion.

Spoke on Work of House.

Nanaimo: Three Labor members of the Provincial Legislature, T. Uphill, member for Fernie; F. H. Neelands, member for South Vancouver, and S. Guthrie, member for Newcastle, addressed a public meeting in the Dominion Hall Sunday evening, which was largely attended, the speakers dealing with the proceedings of the Provincial Legislature. T. A. Barnard also addressed the gathering.

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VISIT SULLIVAN MINE.

P. A. O'Farrell, the well known writer and traveler, returned to Victoria to-day from a tour in the interior.

In Superintendent Hall's private car Mr. O'Farrell and W. Bloomenthal, a New York capitalist, left Cranbrook for Kimberley to inspect the famous Sullivan mine of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., of Canada, Limited. The party remained over until Tuesday, the guests of Supt. Edward G. Montgamery, being met at the mine on Monday evening by mine manager William M. Archibald, of Rossland, and shown over the workings.

This was Mr. Bloomenthal's first trip to Western Canada and he was amazed at the magnitude of the Sullivan mine. To a Cranbrook Herald representative he said "the Sullivan is undoubtedly the biggest mine of its kind in the world. There are mountains of ore at Kimberley and this section of your province certainly has a great future through its mineral resources."

Mr. O'Farrell left later on visits to Nelson, Trail and Rossland, inspecting the Trail smelter while in the interior.

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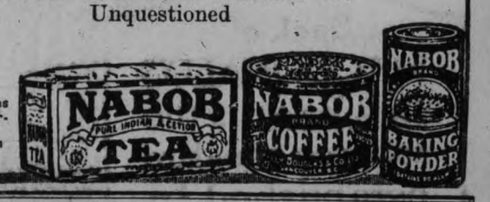

INFLUENCES WORK AGAINST OBSERVANCE

Dr. Rochester, of Lord's Day Alliance, Says Day of Rest Menaced

Plans were laid for the launching two years ago of a campaign in Canada by motion picture interests to run the theatres on Sunday but the time was not considered to be propitious, Dr. Rochester, general secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, told the members of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon.

"Business interests to a large extent menace the integrity of our Lord's Day, and there is one business that stands supreme in this to-day. Its pay-roll last year was $20,800,000. There efforts are not always seen but are there, nevertheless. In the United States they have approached every Legislature in the interests of Sunday opening. Over a year ago these interests asked if the time was ripe in Canada, but the answer was that the time was not ripe," said Dr. Rochester.

"Canada is more fortunate than some countries in that we have a Statute, placed there at the will of the people, guaranteeing us our rest day. The papers in the United States are induced to ridicule the 'blue laws' and the extreme was resorted to on one occasion of holding a parade in which a man was exhibited in the stocks who had 'kissed his wife on Sunday.'

"We do not go to extremes, as some would like to picture us, but we merely seek to defend and maintain the law in this British country. The interests that menace the integrity of this institution are selfish and commercial.

"Great Britain has set her seal on the policy which admits that if there is any institution that adds to production and industrial development it is the weekly rest day. This was amply proved during the war. It was not the doings of a few 'reformers' but it was the voice of the people that spoke out during that awful conflict for a six-day week. It was a question that much greater production could be obtained with the weekly day of rest.

Ideals Must Guide.

"In many matters we are not governed by law, but we must be guided by ideals higher than those dictated by statutes.

"Our organization is probably not the most popular in Canada, but nevertheless we mean to do all we can to see that Sunday Observance Legislation is upheld," said the speaker.

Dr. Rochester dealt with various phases of employment where it was almost impossible to avoid a certain amount of work on Sunday but this was admitted and was provided for in the Statute. There were, however, many other things that were done on Sunday that there was no need for. "For instance," he mentioned "the sale of gasoline and oils on Sunday. Wives of men engaged in this work were just as anxious to have their husbands at home as other women more fortunate. Yet I heard of one man who claimed that it was just as necessary to have gas for his car on Sunday as it was for a horse to have feed. There is a distinction in this instance which that man overlooked mentioning—the motor car has a tank.

"No one should be more interested in Sunday observance than the women, although sometimes their Sunday is more arduous as I understand that men desire to be fed at fairly regular intervals and their appetities seem to be of greater proportions on Sunday than on any other day, thereby causing a greater degree of work for the housewife."

In conclusion Dr. Rochester made an appeal to the Canadian patriotism which sought to uphold the highest ideals of the nation.

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Conference Held This Week With B. C. Coast Service Officials

A conference of considerable importance has been held between representatives of the British Columbia Coast Service boats and officials of the company, Captain J. W. Troup, manager, B. C. Coast Service, and James McGown, representing the company.

The agreement between the National Association of Marine Engineers and the company expired on February 28 and since that time the men have been remaining at work pending the signing of a new agreement.

The men are determined to resist any attempt on the part of the company to bring into effect any reduction in wages, on the ground that, although certain commodities are selling at reduced prices, there is no material reduction in the price of staples.

What the attitude of the company is, is not known. It may be that the company will be satisfied to continue the old agreement. In that case there will be no difficulty in arriving at an amicable settlement. Out of about 700 members of the National Marine Association there are only 69 out of employment.

The action taken by the B. C. Coast Service will undoubtedly have an important effect on the agreements with smaller companies.

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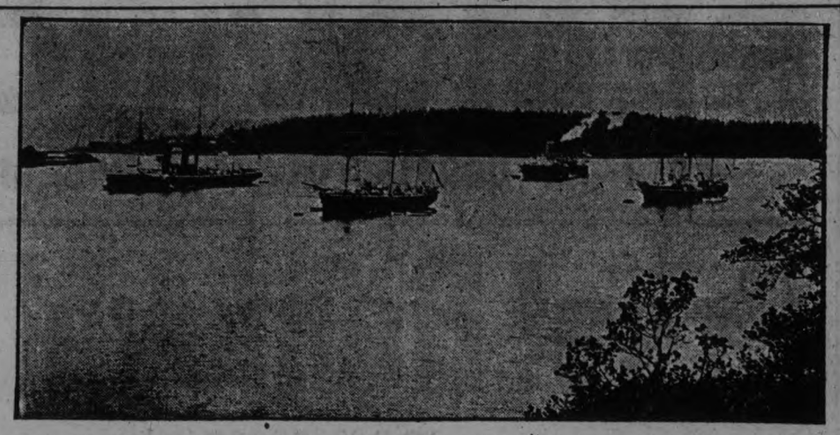


Esquimalt Harbor in the past, showing the Pacific fleet swinging at anchor. The British fleet under Commodore James C. Goodrich, left Esquimalt in February, 1905. The British naval station on this coast finally was abandoned in 1910.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Seattle, March 8.—Arrived: Queen, San Diego via San Francisco. Sailed: Admiral Evans, San Diego via San Francisco; Rainier, San Francisco; La Touche, Southwestern Alaska; Tokushima Maru, Kobe via Yokohama.

San Francisco, March 8.—Arrived: Walter Luckenbach, Seattle; Charles Christensen, Aberdeen; Rose City, Portland; Lyman Stewart, Seattle. Sailed: D. G. Schofield, Philadelphia; President, Seattle; Hawkeye State, Honolulu.

Tacoma, March 8.—Arrived: Fulton, Powell River, B. C.; Prince Albert, Prince Rupert; Steelmaker, New York via ports; Henry T. Scott, San Francisco. Sailed: West Katan, London; Fulton, Vancouver, B. C.; F. S. Loop, San Francisco; Hyderhanify, San Diego; Prince Albert, Vancouver; Edmore, Yokohama via ports; Northwestern Alaska ports via Seattle.

Belfast, March 8.—Arrived: Buenos Aires, Tacoma.

Canopic, at St. Michaels, from New York.

Providence, at St. Michaels, from New York.

Bergensfjord, at Christiania, from New York.

MARINE NOTES

The West Katan, one of the United States Shipping Board fleet, which was here recently with United Kingdom cargo, sailed from Tacoma yesterday laden with flour and other freight for London, Liverpool, Glasgow and Hamburg.

CITY OF SPOKANE TO LOAD B.C. LUMBER FOR ORIENTAL PORTS

N. Y. K. Liners Leaving With Capacity Cargoes For Far East

Seattle, March 9.—To pick up additional cargo offerings at other Puget Sound and British Columbia ports, the United States Shipping Board's steamship City of Spokane, Capt. Thomas P. Quinn, master, has shifted to Tacoma, thence to Vancouver, B. C., and afterwards to Everett and Seattle.

She will complete loading structural iron, railroad ties and general merchandise and will proceed to Tacoma, where she will load flour and lumber. More lumber is offering at Vancouver, and similar freight at Everett. The vessel will return about next Tuesday to finish and is expected to sail March 16 or 17. She will be the second Admiral liner in the Oriental service to depart with a full cargo, an unusual condition at present.

That freight offerings to the Orient are showing an upward tendency is indicated by the fact that the steamship Tokushima Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha fleet cleared for Yokohama, with a full cargo, and it is reported that the passenger liner Kashima Maru of the same fleet will get away Friday similarly laden to the hatches.

The latter vessel, in command of Capt. K. Itsuno, one of the most popular Japanese shipmasters visiting this port, will have a fair sized passenger list on the outward voyage. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha freight steamship Tajima Maru is due next Monday, and will be followed a few days later by the steamship Suwa Maru.

The next Admiral Line Oriental trader to call here will be the steamship Eldridge, Capt. F. W. Brooks, due from Manila, via Oriental ports, March 18. The Eldridge is bringing a fair sized cargo of Oriental products.

ENGINEERS FORMING NEW ASSOCIATION

Vancouver, March 9.—Dissatisfaction with the administrative policy of the International Union of Engineers, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, is causing the secession of many of its Canadian branches, according to offices of the Canadian Society of Certified Engineers, which met last night to formulate plans for the new organization.

The general opinion of the meeting was favorable to forming a separate organization. Delegates present reported that Prince Rupert and Victoria branches would take similar action shortly.

BRITISH FIRMS TO GET CONCESSIONS IN CHINA FIELD

H. E. Metcalf, of Chinese Chartered Corporation, En Route to Orient

Formation of the Chinese Chartered Corporation, an organization which is expected to go far in its activities towards the establishment of a firm British foothold in the manufacturing trade of the Orient, is taking H. E. Metcalf, general manager for Wilcox & Bapcock, well-known British manufacturers, back to China. Mr. Metcalf will sail to-morrow by the liner Empress of Russia.

This is no abrogation of her treaty rights on China's part, Mr. Metcalf explains, but it will assure protection for the British manufacturer in establishing himself in China, both from the Chinese Government through the corporation and from the Government direct.

British manufacturing in China has heretofore been confined to the treaty ports, but now, Mr. Metcalf explains, according to this agreement, they will be allowed to own land and buildings wherever they can secure property.

The importance to the corporation of such a concession can easily be realized when it is seen that, instead of having to export their goods all the way from England, the manufacturers will be able to produce them right in the centre of the local markets.

Mainly through the efforts of the representatives of British manufacturing firms and of Sir John Jordan, the British Minister at Peking this concession has been secured, and the charter members of the corporation number representatives of the greatest firms in England. It is something for which agitation was commenced years ago, but it is just now brought actually into being.

Mr. Metcalf is convinced that a development of British manufacturing in China will present a wonderful opportunity for trade development to Canada, and particularly for British Columbia. "Supply creates demands," he says. "That is what I have always thought, and it must be remembered that there are 400,000,000 people in China. There is no market like it in the world."

"I found myself between the devil and the deep sea when the affairs of the Chinese Chartered Corporation were noised abroad in England," said Mr. Metcalf. "The capitalists resented taking British money out of the country, and the labor classes raised a howl about the employment of foreign labor with money that should be spent at home, but such a contention is unreasonable. The corporation opens the way to employment for thousands of British-born, and provides a golden opportunity for manufacturers to increase British trade prestige."

McGill Professor to Peking.

On his way to Peking to deliver a series of lectures on various phases of chemistry to the Peking Union Medical College, Dr. A. B. Macallum, professor of bio-chemistry at McGill University, is departing by the Empress of Russia for China.

He goes to China under the auspices of the Rockfeller Foundation, which has been presented with $80,000,000 for the purpose of improving the health of the world.

The Peking Union Medical College is supported by the Rockfeller foundation. It is for Chinese students and aims to develop general practitioners to look after the medical needs of that country. The instructors are all Europeans at present, but it is intended to train Chinese for that task.

Dr. Macallum was until last autumn chairman of the National Research Council at Ottawa. With a passing of an act this session for the establishment of the National Research Institute for which object he has worked for some years, Dr. Macallum felt that he could do better work at McGill. He refutes the idea that he had any disagreement with the Government, the officials of which have been most helpful, he said.

The new research institute will combine the features of the Bureau of Weights and Standards at Ottawa and the Mellen Institute at Pittsburgh, Dr. Macallum explains. It will be concerned with the best way of dealing with the development of natural resources and the elimination of waste and utilization of by-products in manufacture. The Research Council will act as an advisory board to the Institute and will recommend to the Government the appointment of the experts who will make up the institute staff.

Dr. Macallum expects to be in China for about four months. He has been granted leave of absence from McGill in order to undertake his present task. In speaking of the work of General Sir Arthur Currie as principle of his university, Dr. Macallum waxes enthusiastic. He has, he says, endeared himself to both students and faculty, and the opinion is that he is an exceptional man.

Japan's Attitude.

Also going out by the C. P. O. S. liner is J. R. Geary, manager of the General Electric Company of Japan. Touching upon Japan, Mr. Geary says:

"Japan sincerely and honestly wishes to retain the goodwill of America, and will forego much to that end. As a world power she naturally resent dictation, and the Californians must realize this, I think.

"I have just been to Washington where, as an American business man, I was able to give certain information as to Japanese conditions to our Senators. On all hands I found them eager to find a solution of this problem. Most of them were very sympathetic and broadminded in their attitude towards Japan.

"The new treaty which has been drawn up by Ambassador Morris of the United States at Tokyo and the Japanese Ambassador to Washington will be passed very shortly, I believe. This has been held up by the change of administration, but should soon become law. It will, I think, please the right-thinking people of both countries. Of course, the extremists will never be satisfied.

This new treaty provides for the amplification of the existing gentleman's agreement with regard to immigration. It also states that a Japanese land owner shall not be deprived of his lands, which has been the aim of a section of the California people.

"To my mind the Japanese would do better to immigrate to Korea and to Manchuria rather than to California. Under the new treaty I think they will be encouraged to turn their thoughts in that direction. But of course the Japanese resent any policy of absolute exclusion, and as a great race you can hardly blame them. The jingoes have caused much trouble by taking up a too rigid exclusion stand."

Mr. Geary is interested in many manufacturing concerns in Japan, of which country he has been a resident for seventeen years. His relations with Japanese business men have always been of a most cordial character.

Electrification of railways on a large scale is projected in Japan, he says. In this work his company, as manufacturers of equipment, are much interested. The first line upon which this work will be undertaken is the Tokyo-Kobe, which is about 200 miles in length. A section, forty miles long, will be undertaken almost immediately, he says, and the remainder put in hand as soon as possible. Finance has held the work back somewhat, but the present price of coal is inducing the Government to get the work done as soon as possible. There is plenty of water power available, he says.

DOMINION TRUST AND BANK CASE SETTLED

Vancouver, March 9.—By a compromise approved by Mr. Justice Murphy, the action of the Dominion Trust Co. vs. the Royal Bank of Canada has been settled.

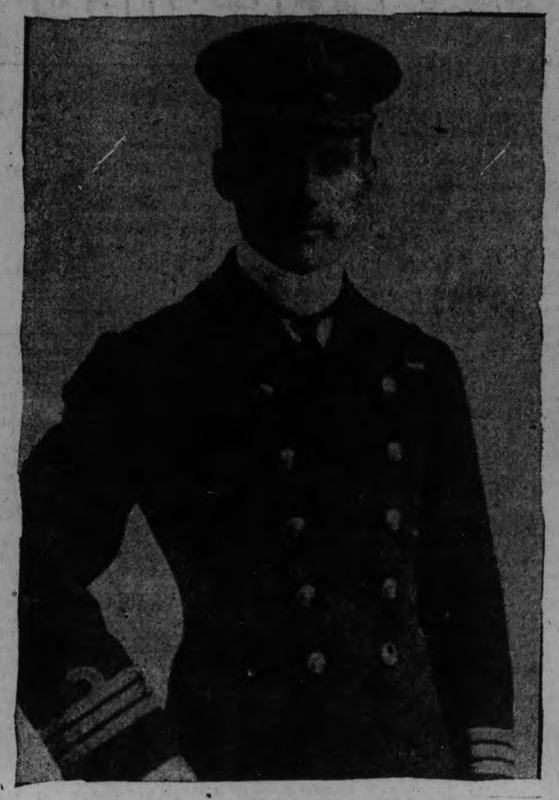
The litigation was in respect of securities hypothecated to the bank to cover a loan of several hundred thousand dollars to the Trust Company. J. C. Gwynn, the liquidator, contended that the transaction was ultra vires of the company, that the bank was, therefore, in a position of a trustee, and the securities should be surrendered.

Mr. Justice Macdonald refused to accept the liquidator's argument when rendering decision in December last in favor of the bank. Leave was obtained from the Court of Appeal to carry the suit into the higher court.

During the past month or two settlement proposals had been discussed. The terms are that the Dominion Trust Co. is to receive back the securities after the bank has collected $26,000, and it is estimated a further $10,000 to $20,000 can then be realized for the liquidation. The bank will waive claims of approximately $8,000 on capital amount and $60,000 accrue dinterest against the defunct company.

The face value of the securities pledged to the bank in the first instance is $750,000, consisting of nearly $400,000 stock in the Central Okanagan Lands, which the liquidator considers worthless.

HERE TO MEET NAVAL FLEET



CAPTAIN WALTER HOSE, R. C. N.
Director of the Canadian Naval Service, who reached Victoria this afternoon from Ottawa.

SAYS RAILWAY COSTS TOO HIGH

Hon. J. D. Reid Tells Commons of Situation

Ottawa, March 9.—The high cost of railway operation will ruin the railway development of Canada in the immediate future, Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, told the House of Commons last evening.

The McAdoo award, he said, had done Canadian railways a great deal of harm, and the railway workers themselves should take the problem into consideration.

The increased estimates for railways, tabled during the day, said Dr. Reid, should not be taken as meaning that there would necessarily be a big deficit in the operation of national railways this year. The officials of the various roads in the Canadian National Railway system, he said, had estimated that there would be a loss of $50,000,000 this year, in one way and another. In addition to this, there would be large amounts required for extension, and also certain refunds on behalf of the Grand Trunk stock which the Government would have to take care of. The United States was losing even larger amounts in proportion, said the Minister.

Greater.

The main railway estimates of 1921-1922 are approximately $92,000,000 more than the total railway estimates of 1920-21. Three loans are included in the railway estimates—$50,000,000 to the C. N. R.; $89,687,633 to the G. T. R.; and $26,000,000 to the G. T. P. The loans are to cover (a) operating deficits; (b) acquisition of property, materials and supplies; (c) interest on notes, securities and obligations; (d) principal and interest of matured and maturing loans; and (e) construction and deterioration.

Operations on Government roads last year, it is estimated, resulted in a loss of around $50,000,000, viz.:

Grand Trunk Pacific operating deficit, $11,250,000, and fixed charges, $8,000,000; total, $19,250,000.

Canadian Northern operating deficit and fixed charges, $33,000,000.

I. C. R. and Transcontinental, operating deficit, $7,000,000; total, $49,250,000.

This total does not include fixed charges on the I. C. R. and the National Transcontinental.

Bookkeeping.

It is also claimed that the requirements of the Government roads are not so great as would appear on the face. A certain portion of the vote, it is said, is required for the purpose of providing necessary funds, being therefore, in the nature of bookkeeping transactions; that the vote is swollen by betterment, new construction and stock requirements. But there is every indication of some strong criticism when the House goes into supply.

MURDERERS ARE HUNTED IN CHICAGO

Chicago, March 9.—Rewards of $5,000 were offered to-day by Alderman John Powers of the 19th Ward for the capture of the men who yesterday shot and killed two of his political lieutenants, Harry Raymond and Paul Labriola.

One man was under arrest to-day in connection with the case but the police refused to disclose his identity.

Four gunmen, said to have been imported from New York, were reported to have been connected with the shooting.

CRASHED ON ROCKS.

Kennebunkport, Maine, March 9.—The British freighter Wanby, 3981 tons gross, from Algieras for Portland, crashed on the rocks at Walker's Point, off this harbor, early to-day in a heavy fog and is in a bad position. All members of the crew are safe.

URGES REPEAL.

Salt Lake, Utah, March 9.—Governor Mabey, after holding the Southwick anti-cigarette bill the lawful five days, to-day signed the measure and at the same time made an announcement to the effect that he would send a special message to the Legislature requesting repeal.

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WATER BYLAW WILL BE SUBMITTED TO RATEPAYERS AGAIN

The Saanich Council Decides Water Extension is Question Needing Solution

After a three-hour discussion in Water Committee, the Saanich Council last night decided to resubmit to the ratepayers of Saanich a water extension by-law, to be based on Clause "F" of an exhaustive report prepared by Clerk Cowper, in which various alternative methods of procedure are outlined, and detailed data as to costs, revenue to be expected and profits and losses, segregated into present system and new work are detailed through the next eight years.

The Council also decided to appropriate a limited sum, expected to amount to $5,000, for immediate construction of urgently needed connections in the districts tributary to the present system of mains. This action is being taken in anticipation of the passage of the new by-law, and should the ratepayers once more turn down any scheme of water extension, the expected reduction of the water-frontage rate, from the present 5 cents per foot to the 3 cents, which the new by-law will authorize, will not be practicable.

Instead it was stated as quite possible that the rate may have to be set at 6 cents, in order that the work to be ordered at once may be paid for, this cost falling on the shoulders of the people already served with water, who will, through their higher frontage rate, provide the capital which the by-law is designed to supply.

Much Money Needed.

The proposed by-law will probably be for $175,000, and the essential difference between it and the by-law defeated last January will be the fixing of an initial frontage rate of 8 cents per front foot on all new construction without any reduction for extensive landholdings, thus placing this feature on a par with the payments which the ratepayers now served made when the system was first initiated.

The Report Tabled.

The report on which the Council has decided to take action is in part as follows:—

"Extensions to the water system can be carried out as follows:

"A. General Debt—Levies to be raised by general rate over whole municipality. Undesirable because all pay and only some benefit.

"B. Local Improvement—Undesirable because (a) portion of cost to be borne by whole municipality; (b), very cumbersome in procedure; (c), no power to credit profit on water to area paying.

"C. Saanich Municipality Act, 1914. Undesirable because (a), very cumbersome in procedure as terms of local improvement act apply; (b), no power to credit profit on water to area paying.

"D. Improvement area under Water Act—Undesirable because an amendment to Act would be necessary. The Act refers to case of laying distribution system to take water from springs or rivers, etc., but did not forsee the possibility of taking water from existing water mains.

"E. Defined area under Section 55-A of Municipal Act—The section reads as follows: 'In case it is deemed expedient to undertake any work or service for the special benefit of some portion or portions of the municipality, the Council of a district municipality may, in addition to all other powers conferred by this Act, in the by-law authorizing the undertaking of the said work or service, define the portion or portions of the municipality that will be benefited, and the entire cost, or such part of the cost as the Council deem just, shall be raised by a special rate upon the lands and improvements within such defined portion or portions of the municipality:

"Provided, however, that the said by-law shall require the assent of the electors of the portion or portions of the municipality set out in the said by-law, and only the electors qualifying on property situated in such portion or portions of the municipality shall be entitled to vote thereon. The said by-law shall be voted upon in the manner providing for voting upon ordinary money by-laws:

"Provided also that if the by-law authorizes the issuing of debentures, the whole of the cost of the work or service shall be borne by the portion or portions of the municipality defined."

Fifteen-Cent Rate Needed.

"This might be workable by making the special rate such a rate per foot chargeable on a frontage basis as will make up the sinking fund and interest required after allowing for the profit on water sold in the district, due allowance being made for operating costs and maintenance. I estimate such frontage rate would be fifteen cents on adjusted frontage, the first year, thirteen cents the second year, eleven cents the third year, ten cents the fourth year, nine cents the fifth year, eight cents the sixth year, seven and one-half cents the seventh year.

"F As part of existing system—Under similar by-law to those previously submitted..

"If this system should be adopted I would suggest that the water frontage rate by-law be amended so as to make the water frontage rates as follows: Eight cents on full frontage (corner lots being adjusted) for the first year (or portion thereof) during which the main is laid; six cents on adjusted frontage for the second year that the main is laid; five cents for the third year; five cents for the fourth year; five cents for the fifth year; three cents for the sixth year; three cents for subsequent years.

By-law Passage Is Factor.

"This by-law should only come into force upon the passing of the by-law borrowing the money for extensions because it may be undesirable to reduce the frontage rate to three cents unless fresh capital is available for extensions.

"The borrowing by-law would be similar to one recently submitted, with the exception that it would recite the fact that the Council had passed the water frontage by-law referred to above.

"In the opinion of the writer method (F) is the best from the point of view of the whole municipality. We have had our experiences of local improvements for waterworks in Saanich, which were unsatisfactory, so that in the year 1915 a private act was obtained empowering the municipality to absorb all such local improvements in their general waterworks system, and if any of the other methods set out were adopted I am confident that sooner or later they would have to be absorbed into the general system.

"The areas now served (or within reasonable distance of existing water mains) is approximately 5,900 acres. The Ward 3 area would be approximately 2,800 acres.

The report was accompanied by an extensive tabulation of figures, which shoewd that the progress in the past had been remarkably uniform, and that the earnings from water sold were to some extent commensurate with the amount of capital expended.

In referring to the Gordon Head extension in particular the report is as follows:

The estimate, covering a proposed extension of the system into Ward 3, is based upon the late engineer's report, and upon the same basis of progress as is shown by our present system.

I have assumed that the sum of $175,000 is authorized ($25,000 being loaned temporarily for extensions to the Ward 3 district—the interest only being charged to the present system until it is used for the Ward 3 extensions.)

Will Pay As Years Pass.

It will be observed that as the initial installation is principally composed of large mains to serve other than those properties that will front on them, that for the first years the estimate shows considerable losses, amounting in eight years to over $30,000—in fact I estimate that it will take thirteen years before the revenue will meet the expenditure. There is no doubt, however, that before the debentures mature (30 years) the Ward 3 extension will not only have paid back any temporary assistance granted to them by the other portions of the waterworks system, but will have contributed into the "common pot" a considerable amount to assist other extensions to parts of the municipality not at present served.

I would respectfully point out that although the question of the charges for water and the water frontage charges may be changed by any future Councils, that comparing with other municipalities, the cost of water to our residents is very low, especially for a district municipality, and that being the case it may not be deemed advisable to lower the charges. Unless the profits which are inevitable are used for extensions the only other use they can be applied to are for the reduction of the rates in the whole municipality, which is contrary to the principle expressed by the Council when the waterworks system was started.

I would point out that without capital to provide extensions and meters our present waterworks system is at a standstill.

If capital is provided the present water works system can carry itself on a 3 cent water frontage rate.

Looking at the question municipally, I take it that if the extension to Ward 3 is of benefit to that ward it will be of benefit to all, and that if Ward 3 requires the temporary assistance of other districts, it will in its turn lend its assistance in the giving of other services to such other districts.

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If there are any complications you do not understand write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

COUNCIL ASTOUNDED WHEN ASKED FOR SLICE OF HALL SITE

Claimant Demands Rear Portion of Municipal Hall Site Be Surrendered

That a substantial portion of the site of the Saanich Municipal office building at Royal Oak was rightfully the property of J. Durrance, and that the Council should forthwith agree to give up possession in order to prevent legal proceedings, were statements which J. B. Livesay last night made to the Saanich Council on behalf of the claimant.

He based the assertion as to ownership of the rear portion of the site on the fact that, many years ago, a spur track of the Victoria & Sidney Railway had existed on that land. This spur was removed long prior to the erection of the Municipal Hall or the purchase of the site in 1911, but is shown on a plan on file at the Land Registry Office.

When the deed for the land was drawn, it was worded as including all the tract between the Saanich Road and the fifty-foot right of way of the railway, and was accompanied by a map showing the site as at present. On this basis the Council decided to refer the matter to the Municipal Assessor and Solicitor for report.

The effect of the claim, if substantiated, would be to require either the removal of one of the municipal annex buildings, or the purchase by the Council of the land in question, which has been sold by Mr. Durrance, together with the land adjoining, to C. A. Heal, of Royal Oak.

The new rear boundary of the municipal property would then be close under the windows of the Hall, instead of over one hundred feet distant, as it is at present.

A Kidney Remedy

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtakes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 30 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

COUNCIL ENDORSES ATTITUDE OF BOARD

Saanich Council Supports Trustees in Refusing the Claims of Teachers

With no discussion the Saanich Council last night passed the following resolution, on the motion of Councillor Kingwell:

"This Council views with regret the attitude taken by the school teachers of Saanich, an attitude that is deeply deplored in the interest of the children, the teaching profession and the public at large.

"The Council is observant of the attitude taken by the School Trustees, and commends them for the strong and definite decision arrived at, and pledges them their full support."

Councillor Horner voted in the negative, afterwards stating he did so solely on the grounds that the matter was outside the bounds of Council authority.

VALUABLE FOLDER ON USE OF HERBS

Outlines Diseases for Which They May Be Used to Advantage

A booklet which should be in every home is "The Road to Health," copies of which may be secured from most druggists in B. C. It gives a full story of the use of herbs in the treatment of disease and the actual experiences of those who have tried such treatments. Even a casual reading of the pamphlet will open the eyes of any person to the wonderful value of herbs.

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BIRTHS MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.

BEEK—Died, suddenly, on March 4, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, William Edwin Beek, beloved husband of Gertrude Roper Beek. The deceased was 41 years of age, born at St. Stephen, N. B. He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow and six children, together with a wide circle of relations and friends.

The funeral took place on Monday, March 7, from the B. C. Funeral Parlors, interment being made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

(Vancouver papers please copy.)

ROWCLIFFE—On the 6th inst., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Rowcliffe, aged 86 years, a native of Devonshire, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past 7 years, residing at 272 Superior Street. He is survived by his widow, three sons and two daughters; William Rowcliffe, residing in Ontario; George and John, who reside in Kelowna, B. C.; Mrs. Ashley Fritchett, in Ontario, and Mrs. Thomas Lawson, of Alberta.

The funeral will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, on Wednesday, March 9, at 3 o'clock. Rev. H. T. Archbold will officiate. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

BUTLER—Died, suddenly, at Kamloops, B. C., March 8, Elizabeth Barbara Butler, age 38, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. Butler, Departure Bay.

Funeral to take place in Nanaimo.

SCOTT—At Jubilee Hospital, on 8th inst., Robert Anthony, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scott, 2619 Blackwood St.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. George R. Elliott and family wish to thank the friends for their kind sympathy and beautiful flowers sent during their recent sad bereavement.

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A FAVORITE RENDEZVOUS—Stevenson's Yates Street Tea Room and Ice Cream Parlor.

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BIG WHIST DRIVE and dance, Ladies' Auxiliary, St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, Thursday, March 10, Caledonia Hall, View Street, 8.30 prompt; 8 good prizes. Admission 25c. Meeting 7.30. m9-50

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"J" UNIT, I. O. D. E., rummage sale, 1301 Gladstone Ave., March 16. Fernwood car terminus. m9-50

MILITARY FIVE HUNDRED—Army and Navy Rooms, Broughton Street, March 9. Cards 8.30 sharp, ten bid. Admission 25c. m9-50

NEXT-OF-KIN ASSOCIATION—Regular monthly business meeting on Thursday, 10th, at 2.45 p. m., in Mezzanine Room. m9-50

REGULAR monthly meeting of Victoria Amateur Swimming Club will be held at the Y. M. C. A., Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. m9-50

REMOVAL SALE commences on Thursday at Seabrook Young's, 623 Johnson Street. m9-50

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THE LADIES' GUILD of the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt Branch, will hold their general meeting Thursday, the 10th inst., in the Sailors' Club. m9-50

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REFINED, middle-aged woman, to assist with general housework; good home; small wages. Call 3958X after six. m10-9

WANTED—Saleslades to help at Seabrook Young's removal sale. 623-6 Johnson Street. m9-9

WANTED—Good girl, good home. 423 Dallas Road. m9-9

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CARPENTER and cabinetmaker wants work. Alterations and repairs. Phone 3462X. m12-10

EFFICIENT gas engineer, experienced on marine and tractor engines, wants work. Box 1783, Times. m9-10

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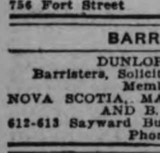

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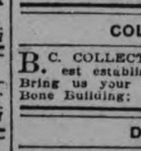

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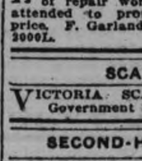

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Sewer Assessment Roll for the year 1921 has been filed in the Treasurer's Office, Esquimalt, and may there be inspected. Any person dissatisfied with his assessment as shown on the roll may file a petition against such assessment with the Council not later than April 1, 1921.

G. H. PULLEN,
C. M. C.
Dated at Esquimalt this 1st day of March, 1921. No. 2267.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

Tenders, sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned will be received up to 4 p. m., the 21st March, 1921, for the supplying of 350 tons Asphaltic Cement and 60,000 Gallons Crude Oil, as per specification, copies of which can be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., March 5, 1921. No. 2343.

"THE BANKRUPTCY ACT."

In the Estate of Josiah Rylands, Authorized Assignor.

NOTICE is hereby given that Josiah Rylands, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, did, on the 5th day of March, 1921, make an authorized assignment to the undersigned.

NOTICE is further given that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the offices of Moresby, O'Reilly & Lowe, Room 205, Belmont Building, in the City of Victoria aforesaid, on the 15th day of March, 1921, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

TO ENTITLE you to vote thereat proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held.

Proxies to be used at the meeting must be lodged with me prior thereto.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me within thirty days from the date of this notice, for from and after the expiration of the time fixed by Sub-Section 8 of Section 37 of the said Act I shall distribute the proceeds of the Debtor's estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I have then notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of March, 1921.

PERCY WOLLASTON,
Authorized Trustee.
No. 2357.

FLEET PAYS VISIT FOR FIRST TIME TO PACIFIC NAVY BASE

(Continued from page 1.)

nucleus upon which it is hoped to build a naval unit to ensure full protection of our vast coast line and trade routes.

Our commerce is continually increasing and our export trade expanding. As a natural corollary to such expansion, the guardianship of trade routes must be proportionately extended and increased.

Captain Adams, officers and men of our newly formed fleet, we are deeply moved by the honor conferred upon us in affixing our signatures to this very modest but nevertheless loyal form of welcome to you all, and it is our fervent wish that you may never be called upon to show your prowess, but should such an occasion arise, we hold the strong, deep-rooted conviction, and rest confident in the belief that you will not only not be found wanting under such circumstances, but that you will gloriously uphold the best traditions of the British Navy."

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Welcome by Wireless.

The Canadian Club flashed the following radio welcome to the fleet commander as the fleet was steaming up the Straits:

"Victoria Canadian Club greets the officers and crews of H. M. C. S. Aurora, Patrician and Patriot, and wishes them a pleasant stay while on this coast."

(Signed)
B. C. NICHOLAS,
President.

The Canadian Club president has received the following reply:

"Canadian squadron appreciates kind message of the Canadian Club."

Aurora Moored at Buoy.

After passing the Fisguard Light, the Aurora proceeded to the mooring buoy formerly used by the cruiser Rainbow. The destroyers Patriot and Patrician took up a berth alongside the naval wharf.

The fleet was officially welcomed by Captain Walter Hose, R. C. N., director of the Canadian Naval Service, and Commander H. E. Holme, R. C. N., commander-in-charge of His Majesty's Canadian Dockyard.

Visit To Governor.

The official welcoming formalities over, Captain Adams came ashore, and about 4 o'clock he paid a formal call upon the Lieutenant-Governor, the Hon. W. C. Nichol, at Government House. Later the commanding officer called upon Premier John Oliver at the Parliament Buildings. The Lieutenant-Governor and the Premier will pay return visits to the flagship to-morrow, and officials of the Navy League of Canada will also board the Aurora to extend formal welcome.

Courtmartial Aboard.

A courtmartial is to be held aboard the Aurora, but it is not expected that this will interfere in any way with any welcoming ceremonies scheduled for to-morrow.

In honor of the fleet's arrival the plant of Messrs. Yarrows, Ltd., was to-day elaborately decorated with flags and bunting, the decorations providing a splash color along the harbor front.

The welcoming functions will be staged to-morrow, when Captain Adams and his officers will attend the Canadian Club luncheon, when Gordon Jackson, secretary of the Dominion Navy League, will be the chief speaker.

To-morrow night the officers of the squadron will be entertained by the Provincial Government at a dinner at the Empress Hotel, when the Lieutenant-Governor and the Premier will be the principal speakers.

On Friday the fleet will leave Esquimalt for Vancouver, and will return to the Esquimalt naval base March 16, when the arrangements for the entertainment of the crews of the ships will be carried out.

Built at Devonport.

The Aurora was built at Devonport Dockyard in 1913-14, and was commissioned, together with other units of her class, early in the German war. She is a sister ship to the "Saucy Arethusa," the flagship of Commodore Reginald Tyrwhitt, who later was knighted and given the rank of Admiral. It was aboard the Arethusa that the Commodore won fame in the Jutland scrap, as is was in that notable naval fight that the light cruiser squadron proved their value as the scouts of the Grand Fleet.

Powerfully Engined.

The Aurora displaces 3,500 tons, is 410 feet long, with a beam of 39 feet and a draft of 14 feet. Equipped with engines of 40,000 horsepower, she is capable of a speed of 30 knots. Her turbines are of the famous Parson's type. The ship has bunker space for approximately 1,000 tons of fuel oil which gives her a steaming radius of 10,000 miles under normal fuel consumption.

The main armament of the Aurora consists of two six-inch guns each capable of throwing a 100-pound projectile at the rate of twelve shots per minute. One of these six-inchers is mounted on the forecastle deck and the other on the upper deck aft, both having direct as well as broadside fire.

The armament also includes six four-inch guns, three to port and the same number to starboard, each throwing a 25-pound projectile at the rate of 20 to 30 per minute. A four-inch anti-aircraft gun is mounted on the upper deck. The ship is equipped with four 21-inch torpedo tubes. The complement manning the Aurora consists of fifteen officers and 260 men.

Speedy Destroyers.

The destroyers Patriot and Patrician are sister craft turned out by the famous Thorneycroft plant in 1916. The destroyers measure 264 feet in length, with a beam of 27 feet, draft of 8½ feet, each displacing 980 tons. The engines are of 27,000 horsepower, giving a speed of 35 knots. The destroyers are armed with three 4-inch guns, a 2-pounder and four 21-inch torpedo tubes. The complement of each destroyer is 90 officers and men.

Fleet Officers.

The fleet officers are as follows:

H. M. C. S. Aurora:—Captain Henry C. H. Adams, C.B.E., Lieutenant-Commander Edmund G. Hallewell, Lieutenant Raymond F. Bosanquet, Lieutenants Douglas B. Moffett, Leonard W. Murray, Hubert J. F. Hibbard and Frederick G. Hart, Engineer Commander John F. Bell, Engineer Lieutenant Ninian Bannatyne, Paymaster Lieutenant Command John G. Elgar, D.S.C.; Surgeon Lieutenant Albert Laroche, Sub-Lieutenant Harold T. W. Grant, Paymaster Sub-Lieutenant M. J. O. Cossette, Engineer James W. Keohane, Gunners George Odell and William A. Vinnicome, and Warrant Shipwright Charles H. Brown.

H. M. C. S. Patriot:—Lieutenant Charles T. Beard, Commander Lieutenants Ronald D. Agnew and Morris A. Wood, Engineer Lieutenant Angus D. M. Curry and Gunner Walter G. Smith.

H. M. C. S. Patrician:—Lieutenant George C. Jones, commander; Lieutenants Arthur R. Pressy and Alfred C. Wurtle, Engineer Lieutenant George Stephens and Gunner Michael Spillane.

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Brewers Ask for Opening of Beer Drinking Places

Tell Premier That Men Want to Get Their Beverage on Draught From a Tap and Not From a Bottle; Seek Brewery Inspection.

As a result of the newspaper announcement last night that the "beer clause" has no chance in the Legislature and that there is even little chance of it getting as far as the floor of the House, brewers from Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster arrived at the Parliament Buildings early to-day to renew their fight for free selling of beer under the new liquor act.

The brewers asked that the Government should make provision for the establishment of beer drinking places, where a man could get a drink any time without delay. They proposed that the Government should either license the sale by individuals of beer and kindred liquors by the glass, or, failing this, that the Government should put in its own men to sell beer by the glass in any place where there is a demand for the sale of beer drinks.

Bottle Too Bothersome.

They claimed that a man who gets a glass of beer does not want to bother waiting for it to be drawn from a bottle, but preferred to turn a tap and let it run. They said that eight ounces of draught beer could be sold for ten cents, while it would cost from forty to fifty cents to get eleven or twelve ounces of beer in a bottle.

A resolution passed by the brewers was presented. This asked for the sale of draught and bottled beer by the glass under suitable arrangements. The resolution also proposed that the Government place a vendor in each brewery to prohibit the sale of beer to any consumer or purchaser whose permit had been cancelled. The Government was also asked by the resolution to place an inspector in each brewery to seal all products with the proper Government seal, for the protection of the public.

Also See Mr. Bowser.

Premier Oliver told the brewers that their requests would have to go before the executive council for consideration. He said there was considerable discussion as to whether some of the things asked for would come within the scope of the mandate given the Government as a result of the plebiscite of last October.

Brewers in the delegation were: Henry Reifel, Nels Nelson, A. Ascomb, H. E. Newton, F. H. Warlock, Harry Maynard and Mr. Ramsay, of Vancouver.

The delegation also interviewed W. J. Bowser, K. C., Leader of the Opposition. Mr. Bowser said their proposals would have to be referred to the Conservative caucus.

Sergeant-Major Jimmy Robinson and other returned soldiers also were busy at the Parliament Buildings because of the effect that failure to pass the beer clause will have on soldiers' clubs.

PROSPECTING COSTS ARE INVESTIGATED

Opposition Leader Asks About Soldiers' Expenses

The Public Accounts Committee of the House to-day probed the cost of sending out parties of soldier prospectors to seek mining wealth in accordance with a policy inaugurated by the Provincial Department of Mines. At the request of W. J. Bowser, K. C., Leader of the Opposition, full data on the matter was laid before the committee.

It was stated that $50,000 had been provided to cover the cost of these prospecting parties, and that $15,242 had been spent. Twenty parties, the committee learned, had been sent out, each consisting of two returned soldiers, one of them an experienced prospector and another new to the work. These men had been paid $1.50 a day, and at the end of the season the experienced men had been given a bonus of $125, and the inexperienced men $100. The resident engineers had taken charge of the work.

"Just what was the net result of the work?" Mr. Bowser demanded.

R. F. Tolmie, Deputy Minister of Mines, explained that reports from the various mining districts had not been received yet, but read a report by W. M. Brewer, District Mining Engineer in charge of Vancouver Island, where, it was stated, the prospectors had met with considerable success.

Mr. Boser was anxious also to find out just how much the Province has invested in Dominion Government war bonds. He was informed that, from 1914 up to March, 1920, the par value of Dominion War Bonds bought by the Province out of sinking funds was $2,533,700. The actual amount invested was $2,513,-190.04, Mr. Bowser learned.

Widow's Compensation.

The Leader of the Opposition was inquisitive about money paid as compensation to a widow whose son was accidentally killed while serving a term at Oakalla Prison Farm. Full details will be supplied to Mr. Bowser.

Questions were asked about the Ioco Road on the North Shore, outside Vancouver. All papers connected with this matter will be laid before the committee, as will details of the traveling expenses incurred by Colonel Latta and M. H. Nelems, of the Land Settlement Board.

The Committee will meet again to-morrow.

ACROSS THE BAY

Victoria's Private Bill will come before the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature on Friday, it was announced to-day.

The special House Committee appointed to investigate the claims of Major Retallick, formerly Public Utilities Commissioner, held its first meeting this morning and organized. H. G. Perry was appointed chairman and J. A. Buckham secretary. The committee will meet again next Monday, when Major Retallick will be present and various documents considered.

Big Demand for Industries Report.

The B. C. Department of Industries is receiving a large number of requests for copies of its annual report, which contains very valuable figures on British Columbia industry. Efforts are being made to have the report printed as soon as possible.

Counsel Appointed.

In answering questions put by Kenneth Duncan, Premier Oliver stated that counsel had been engaged to appear before the Board of Railway Commissioners to oppose recent increases in freight and express rates. No special instructions had been given counsel, however, said the Premier, but counsel was to co-operate with the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia. Gerald G. McGeer was appointed.

Rush Vancouver Bill.

The Private Bills Committee of the House made considerable progress with Vancouver's Private Bill this morning. All contentious clauses in the measure have been thrashed out, and the provisions which remain to be considered, it is expected, will cause little discussion. It is planned to bring on the Victoria bill later in the week.

Owing to the huge amount of work required to consolidate the Vancouver charter, there is a possibility that the work may not be completed during the present session of the Legislature, but Mayor Gale has received the assurance of Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, Attorney-General, that the chief clauses of the act will become effective. The Attorney-General pointed out during an interview with Vancouver representatives today, that in dealing with such an important document it was necessary to use the utmost caution, and it would require a great deal of time for the legal department to pass the complete act. As a result it is likely that a separate bill, incorporating the chief clauses, will be drawn and submitted to the House by the private bills committee. The remainder of the sections will be laid on the table.

Power has been granted the city of Vancouver to establish a "central heating plant," by the Private Bills Committee. Explaining the idea, Mayor Gale, of Vancouver, said that a central plant could be constructed by the city authorities for the purpose of supplying heat to the chief business sections. The waste material from the mills on False Creek would be utilized in producing heat, and "mains" would be laid along the chief streets.

ONTARIO APPLES FOR BRITISHERS

Toronto, March 9.—Establishment by the Ontario Government of warehouses in England for storage, sorting and sale of exported Ontario apples was formally advocated by W. T. R. Preston, of Port Hope, Ont., today before the special committee on the Ontario Legislature appointed to deal with the marketing and export of fruit products.

Losses of millions of dollars are sustained annually by Ontario because of operations of a price fixing ring in Britain, Mr. Preston charged. British consumers paid $25,000,000 annually for Canadian apples, the cost of which f.o.b., Liverpool, was not more than $6,000,000.

CHINESE BARRED FROM SALVADOR UNDER NEW LAW

San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, March 9.—Immigration of Chinese to Salvador was prohibited to-day by the Government under the terms of the alien land law. All Chinese who are already residents of the country, however, will not be affected by the order.

Women laywers in Philadelphia have formed an organization to be known as "The Portia Club."

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M. A. Macdonald Asks Opposition to Line Up Against Bowser

Conservative Leader Is Only Playing Politics, Flying In the Teeth of Public Sentiment and Working to Make B. C. Liquor Law Inoperative, Government Speaker Tells House.

M. A. Macdonald, of Vancouver, this afternoon replied for the Government to the attack of W. J. Bowser, Opposition Leader, on Premier Oliver's resolution to ask Ottawa to pass legislation to give this Province complete control over imports of liquor so that the new B. C. liquor act can be enforced.

Mr. Macdonald declared that Mr. Bowser is only playing politics. Because their leader is flying in the teeth of public sentiment in this way, he appealed to Opposition members to join independents and Government members in supporting the resolution, which is necessary for the success of liquor control.

"I did not adjourn the debate on this resolution for the purpose of making any extended contribution to the subject under discussion," said Mr. Macdonald.

"The legal aspect of the question has already been discussed by the Honorable the Leader of the Opposition and the Honorable the Attorney-General, and very little more need be said, except to draw a few clear conclusions from what has already been stated.

"I should like therefore to translate in simple language so that it may be perfectly clear to all lay members of the House, just what the position is on this question. I do not suggest that either the Leader of the Opposition or the Attorney-General were obscure in their remarks. It is, however, sometimes desirable and necessary to take a short cut to the conclusions which should be arrived at, without becoming involved in unnecessary detail.

The Difference.

"This resolution asks the Federal Government to enact legislation to prevent importation of liquor into this Province. The amendment of the Leader of the Opposition, asks the Dominion Government to refuse to pass such legislation because he says it is not necessary. In other words, he tells us that under the law as it stands at present, importation may be prevented by simply inserting a clause in our Moderation Bill, making it illegal for anyone in the Province of British Columbia to purchase liquor except from Government stores.

All Agreed on Restriction.

"It will be noticed, therefore, that all parties are agreed on the desirability of preventing importation to successfully carry on under the Act now being considered by the House, or at all events, to carry on to the best advantage.

"That is not only, I take it, the opinion of every member in this House, but it is also the general opinion of every man and woman in this Province, except, perhaps a few who believe the present right to import should be continued for fear that at some future date our Government Control Bill may become a thing of the past.

Fastidious Not Harmed.

"To those few in number who hold that view I may say they are protected by the proviso in the resolution that we are only asking the Dominion Government to prevent importation so long as the proposed statute now under consideration, remains law.

"Another small class in the Province may object to taking away the right of importation, by reason of the fact that they might desire to import rare vintages not likely to be kept in stock in Government stores. It has already been pointed out that these people of super-fastidious tastes may obtain their choice brands by ordering through the Government vendors.

Some Sinister Reason.

"We may conclude, therefore, having taken care of these two exceptional cases, that it is the desire of every one outside and inside this House, that importation should be prevented. In fact, so general is this desire that it must be apparent there is some sinister reason in the back of any man's mind who wishes to leave the question as it now is, in an agony of doubt.

"Mr. Speaker, it is indisputable from the remarks of the Leader of the Opposition and the amendment he suggests, that he, putting it as strongly as possible in his own favor, at least, wishes to leave the question in the realm of doubt rather than in the realm of certainty. His purpose would appear to be to try to make the Act unworkable in order to embarrass the Government.

The Bowser Argument.

"It is suggested by the Leader of the Opposition that all we have to do to prevent importation is to add a section to our Act, making it illegal for any one to purchase liquor in this Province, except from a Government store. That is only another way of saying that no one in the Province of British Columbia should be permitted to import liquor. He tells us that if we insert this clause in our Act, then by the Dominion Act of 1916, Chapter 19, it at once becomes an offense for any individual or any company or transportation line to send or carry liquor into this Province with the intention that it should be used in violation of the laws of this Province.

Limiting Purchasing Impossible.

"Now he tells us that it clearly would be an offense under the Dominion Statute for any person or company to carry liquor into the Province of British Columbia for consumption if we made it an offense to purchase from anyone except a Government vendor. That would be perfectly true if it is a fact that we have the power to say that no one in British Columbia may purchase liquor except from a Government vendor. If we clearly have that power then there is no need for further legislation at Ottawa.

"My own opinion, for what it is worth, is that any provision in our Act, making it illegal for any one to purchase liquor in British Columbia except from a Government vendor, would not be worth the paper it is written on.

Should Remove Doubts.

"As I said before, it is simply another way of saying that no one shall import liquor into British Columbia and clearly, this Legislature has not jurisdiction over the question of importation of any goods from one Province to another. I repeat, that even if the Government were doubtful—and any man who has any regard for frankness, must admit that it is at the very least a matter of doubt—then it would be most desirable to have these doubts removed by Federal Legislation.

Would Start Court Trouble.

"What will follow if we do not have further legislation by Ottawa to prevent importation?

"Simply this; some one will import and assuming that we place a clause in our act making it illegal to buy except from Government vendors, a prosecution will be started and that will start on its weary way through the courts until it reaches the Privy Council and in the meantime, while the question is being considered by the courts, importation may go on.

"The decision of the Privy Council in the end would, in my opinion, whatever it is worth, be against the contention of the Province and then we would have to get further Ottawa legislation at that time or allow importation to continue undisturbed.

Only One Safe Quick Way.

"What honorable gentleman in this House, having the slightest regard for fairness, who allows his commonsense to get a little exercise, will hesitate to say for one moment, that importation should be prevented and that the safest, quickest and surest method of obtaining this desirable end, is for the Federal Government at Ottawa, to either pass a special act or amend the Canada Temperance Act of 1919, so that its provisions would be applicable to a Province under moderation, so to speak, as well as to a Province under prohibition.

Playing Politics.

"The proposition to my mind is so clear, so unanswerable that one has to look elsewhere for the motives behind any man's mind in refusing to support such a resolution. I therefore feel that the statement made by the Leader of the Opposition to the Moderationists before the election, that he would treat this whole question as a political question, is being carried out and his subsequent conduct in this House gives proof of that determination, even though he knows he is flying in the teeth of public sentiment in so doing.

"I am hoping that better councils will prevail and that by Conservative friends sitting opposite, if not with the support of their leader, then without it, will join with Independents, Laborites and Liberals, in asking the Federal Government to do, not a burdensome thing, but a simple thing, namely, pass an Act which will effectually settle this question beyond a shadow of a doubt, removing from the question every element of doubt and permitting the Act now under consideration in this House to be launched under the most favorable auspices."

BONDS ARE SOLD BY MANITOBA

Winnipeg, March 9.—The Provincial Government to-day disposed of a $500,000 bond issue at 100.566 to the National City Bank of New York. The securities were five-year five per cent. bonds and were prepared for distribution in the United States. The second bid was 100.29, made by the Dominion Securities Corporation of Toronto.

SINN FEIN SCORED.

Sacramento, Cal., March 9.—A move to expunge from the Senate journal a protest of the Sacramento Church Federation against the action of the Senate in permitting Miss Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late Lord Mayor of Cork, to speak here yesterday brought on a contest in the Senate to-day. The protest contained a denunciation of the Sinn Fein.

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CANADIAN CLUB TO ENTERTAIN NAVY

The Canadian Club luncheon at the Empress Hotel to-morrow noon to the officers of the Canadian fleet, which arrived at Esquimalt shortly after two o'clock this afternoon, will be one of the most auspicious of the club's entertainments.

A hearty welcome will be extended to the officers of the vessels, namely, Captain Adams, of H. M. C. S. Aurora, and Lieutenant Charles T Beard, of the destroyer Patriot, and Lieutenant George C. Jones, of the destroyer Patrician.

Among the guests who will be present at the luncheon will be Gordon B. Jackson, B.A., LL.B., Dominion secretary of the Navy League, and representatives of the Navy League branches in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

FORUM MEETING TO-MORROW NIGHT

Every member of the Forum of the Chamber of Commerce will have an opportunity to-morrow night to express his views on the subject of what is needed to make Victoria the biggest convention city on the Pacific Coast, not to mention other benefits that may accrue from the development of schemes considered to be suited to local conditions.

The Forum will meet promptly at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium and J. F. Scott, chairman of the Forum Committee, will precede the discussion by an address on subject mentioned.

This meeting will be most interesting, and vital in its result as recommendations will go forward from the Forum to the Executive for listing on the programme of development which the Chamber of Commerce has in view. This, the first year of the newly reorganized body, is to be made a banner year in-so-far as progress in matters pertaining to the welfare of the city is concerned.

A surprisingly large amount of information has been secured during the past few months on which Mr. Scott's arguments to-night will be based in regard to suggested attractions calculated to bring people to Victoria. This information has been secured from all parts of Canada and the United States and some interesting facts will be laid before the Forum at the meeting to-morrow night.

In view of the importance of the matter members are reminded to set aside to-morrow night for the meeting.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning of Victoria Christina Zellinsky, the four-days-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Zellinsky, of Brentwood, B. C. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 10.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel of Lou Fok Quen. He was born in China 58 years ago and had been a resident of this city for the past two years, residing at 526 Cormorant Street. Interment took place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Davis took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Canon Hinchliffe conducted the impressive service, which was attended by many comrades of the late ex-soldier. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The flag-draped casket with its beautiful floral tributes was borne to the graveside on a gun carriage and preceded by an escort and firing party. The following, all comrades of the G. W. V. A., acted as pallbearers: Messrs. F. Cuddington, W. O'Rourke, S. Davis, W. C. Freeman, J. Lee and J. Neary.

The remains of the late Mrs. Teresa Margaret Rich, wife of Joseph B. Rich, of 1802 Oak Bay Avenue, were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Private service was held at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. G. H. Andrews officiating. The following acted as pallbearers: E. B. Paul, E. Burrell, John Dickson, James Dickson, G. M. Hodgson and T. H. Slater.

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B. C. Labor Presents Policy to Cabinet; Also Talks on Beer

The legislative programme of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada was presented to Premier Oliver and members of the Cabinet to-day by the British Columbia executive, consisting of Mrs. Fearns and W. H. Bartlett, of Vancouver, and Alderman E. S. Woodward and Ben Simmonds, of Victoria. Sam Guthrie, Socialist member for Newcastle, accompanied the delegation before the Executive Council.

Alderman Woodward told the Premier that the labor attitude towards beer sale was that it should be under the Government.

"Steps should be taken to close up entirely the near beer business as it is almost as pernicious as the bar in the days before prohibition," said Alderman Woodward.

Government Sale Only.

"There should be no liquor sold in packets or in any other way except under Government control. We think that the evils of the draught business under private sale are greater than the evils of sale in sealed packets."

Alderman Woodward declared that the Government should keep sole control of all sale, so that the element of private profit will be eliminated. He said that sooner or later the Government will have to go into the manufacture of liquor, partly because much of the evil is due to poor liquor.

Labor Appreciative.

Mr. Woodward expressed satisfaction with what the Government has done in the way of labor legislation.

"We appreciate what you have done in the way of labor legislation. "We appreciate what you have done with regard to workmen's compensation and the minimum wage, and what we understand you are to do as regards the superannuation of civil servants and civic employees," he said.

Labor Demands.

Mrs. Fearn presented the demands of the legislative programme as follows: Fair wage clause in all Government contracts, wages to be fixed by the Department of Labor; examination and licensing of barbers and sanitation of shops as asked for by Vancouver and Victoria barbers; periodical medical examinations of all persons preparing food for the public to prevent the spread of tuberculosis and venereal diseases; health insurance legislation; stiff examination of motor chauffeurs and abolition of the annual licence fee for them; compulsory kalsomining of all factory and workshop walls once a year, the scrubbing of floors once a month and less artificial light; women factories inspectors, "because a lot of things go on in women's workshops that a man cannot handle"; bringing of all shops under the Factories' Act irrespective of whether the employers themselves work there; regulation by the Minimum Wage Act of the wages of all girls under eighteen years, as they now can be paid any wage at all.

"The Minimum Wage Act is good, and it has benefitted a large number of women," said Mrs. Fearns. "But employers should be penalized if they don't live up to it."

Compensation Act Changes.

Ben Simmonds expressed labor's satisfaction with the workings of the Workmen's Compensation Act, but presented these suggested amendments and additions from the Congress: Inclusion of all workers in all occupations; compensation rate increased from 55 per cent. to 75 per cent, with a minimum of $12.50 a week; maximum earning basis raised $2,000 to $3,000; no waiting period when disability exceeds three days; compensation payable twice monthly; full rate of compensation until complete recovery; cost of transportation to be provided back to the original point when workman is taken out of his area for treatment; allowance to dependants to be not less than paid under Canada Pension Act, with children paid until they are 16, or if they keep on at school, until they are 18; where there is no widow, the foster mother to receive some allowance for herself and children as if she were workman's widow; funeral benefit of $100; hernia, rupture and strained back to be compensable; penalizing of employers or doctors failing to report cases; choice of medical attendants or mechanical treatment; widows, children and others totally dependent to be entitled to benefit under the Act.

Educational Policy.

Alderman Woodward brought up the question of health insurance, because as far as the worker is concerned disease is almost as costly as accident, he stated.

He said that the high cost of education is one of the greatest problems of the state, but that labor believes that the free educational system should be preserved. Only those, however, who are meritorious and give promise of showing the state a return for the money spent on their education should be sent on for higher education.

The objections to property qualifications in municipal elections were repeated.

Superannuation Pleases.

The aldermen said that municipal employees had asked him to express their appreciation of the proposed superannuation bill being prepared by the Government.

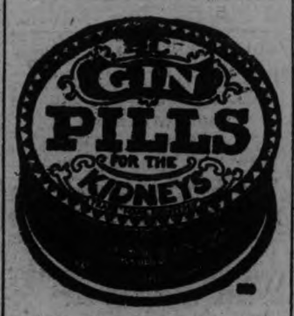
Mr. Woodward declared that sooner or later unemployment insurance would have to be brought in.

Want Medical Freedom.

In reply to a question from the Hon. William Sloan, he said that the Federal Government is in a better position to handle unemployment insurance, but the only trouble with that Government is that it is more remote.

"We also want more elasticity in medical laws," Alderman Woodward added. "We want more medical freedom, as labor has experienced great benefit from unauthorized practitioners, benefits which labor has failed to receive from many regularly qualified professional men."

Premier Oliver promised that the Government would go into all the labor proposals.



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SINN FEINERS GOT ARMS FROM GERMANY

American Sinn Feiner Speaks of 1916 Uprising

Boston, March 9.—Germany's participation in the Irish revolt which started at Dublin on Easter Sunday, 1916, was admitted by John Devery, a New York Sinn Feiner, in an address here last night. He said that this was brought about by Sinn Fein sympathizers in the United States who made a deal with the Germans for a shipload of arms to be delivered to Ireland.

Devery said the "Irish Republican Brotherhood" sent word to sympathizers in the United States of the plans for the Easter Sunday attack on the British forces in the previous January and requested that the Sinn Feiners in the United States furnish a shipload of arms, the arms to be delivered in Limerick as soon as possible.

It was not possible to get any such quantity of arms in the United States without the knowledge of the United States Government, Devery said. Therefore the aid of Germany in securing these arms was enlisted. He declared no other help had been received by the revolutionaries from German sources.

DECLARE MEAT WOULD BE CHEAPER

British Traders Want Canadian Cattle Admitted

London, March 9.—(Canadian Associated Press)—New interest has been given to the controversy over the British embargo on Canadian cattle by a statement issued by the Meat Traders' Federation, which is urging the removal of the embargo, that one of its members has offered to place £20,000 at the disposal of the Ministry of Agriculture for any purpose in its discretion if the removal of the embargo fails to reduce the price of meat by six pence within six months.

Opposition.

Despite this challenge the conference of the Central Chamber of Agriculture to-day decided to oppose any relaxation of the restrictions on the importation of livestock.

Lord Crewe, who addressed the conference, said he doubted the sanity of those who predicted that the removal of the embargo would reduce the price of meats by six pence. It was interesting, he added, to note that complete unanimity on the question did not exist even in Canada.

MANITOBA HOUSE DISCUSSES FINANCES

Winnipeg, March 9.—The group system of government was seen in operation in the Manitoba Legislature to-day when all factions gathered for discussion of the financial affairs of the province, with a farmer member presiding. It was decided that the whole docket of financial requirements, such as proposed grants to the University of Manitoba, good roads, charities, etc., should be decided upon at conferences of the whole body of legislators. Premier Norris said the committee of the whole House would be called upon to aid the Government in finding new revenues with which to carry on the operations of the Government.

VANCOUVER DRYDOCK PLANS TABLED IN OTTAWA COMMONS

Ottawa, March 9.—The plans and specifications and a copy of the contract with Coughlan & Sons for the construction of a drydock at Vancouver were tabled in the Commons yesterday afternoon by Hon. F. B. McCurdy, Minister of Public Works.

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The Monthly Meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., will take place Thursday, March 10, at headquarters, 2.45 p.m.

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Visit Seabrook Young's Removal Sale, 623 Johnson Street, Thursday, March 10.

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Friday, March 11, at 7.30 p.m.—A mass meeting will be held in the schoolroom of St. John's Church, for all the 'teen age girls of the city. Addresses by the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick and Mrs. Nolder. The evening will close with music and refreshments.

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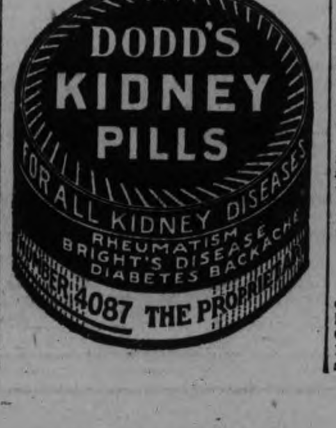

BUY IN CANADA DRAYTON'S ADVICE

Conditions Can Be Improved, Minister Says

Cornwall, Ont., March 9.—(Canadian Press)—Addressing the Cornwall Board of Trade last night, Sir Henry Drayton, Federal Minister of Finance, stated that an era of overproduction and extravagant buying had culminated last Summer and was succeeded by an extreme swing of the pendulum to a period of restricted production and an almost entire absence of public buying. The result was a condition of relative unemployment and industrial stagnation. He recommended as one means of relief for both of these conditions and of the depreciated value of the Canadian dollar and also to stimulate Canadian industry, a campaign of purchasing Canadian products, grown and manufactured, where possible to obtain in place of imported goods.

Coal.

Sir Henry stated that the price of coal had been increased two dollars a ton by unwise buying abroad.

In reference to taxation, Sir Henry gave figures to show the enormous charges arising out of the war. He refuted the impression that the rich were escaping taxation at the expense of the poor, instancing the income tax in this regard.

Sir Henry said he believed if there was on the part of the producer an effort for cheaper production the trade situation in Canada would quickly right itself and the country return to a better prosperity than in the past.

NOVA SCOTIA NEEDS GREATER REVENUE

Legislature Meets to Solve Some Problems

Halifax, March 9.—Legislation looking to an increase in the sources of revenue of the province, the further extension of the public health programme and mothers' pensions, was forecast in the Speech from the Throne opening the first session of the thirty-seventh General Assembly of Nova Scotia this afternoon. The curtailment of production in the coal, iron and steel industries was referred to, and hope expressed that with wise counsel and full and frank understanding of prevailing conditons and with a friendly spirit of co-operation between employer and employee, any difficulty incident to the general industrial situation would be surmounted.

Hon. Robert Irwin was re-elected for the fourth consecutive time.

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CANADIAN LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

London, March 9.—(Canadian Associated Press)—A gathering of representative Anglo-Canadian banking, commercial and professional interests yesterday resolved to proceed with the formation of a Canadian Chamber of Commerce in London. One speaker said the idea was good so long as the Chamber did not degenerate into a mutual admiration society, but informed the people of Canada that they must produce goods in a style really capable of being sold here.

The chairman announced that the Canadian Manufacturers' Association had already promised financial help and that the Dominion Government had expressed itself as favorable to the proposal.

F. C. Wade, Agent-General for British Columbia, who presided, said the great question to be determined was whether Canada was to remain British or to be lost to Great Britain, owing to the influence of American money.

AEROPLANE PARTY CRUISES EAST COAST OF THIS ISLAND

Vancouver, March 9.—Major C. McLaurin, Superintendent of Canadian Air Board station here, with Major Andrews, of the Forestry Service, and Major J. A. Motherwell, Chief Dominion Inspector of B. C. Fisheries, left this morning for a cruise of the timber areas of the east coast of Vancouver Island. Major Claire McLaurin also will confer with Government officials at Victoria.

E. L. McLeod is pilot, and Photographer Duncan, of the Air Board, and two mechanics are making the trip.

BARON MOULTON DIES IN ENGLAND

London, March 9.—Baron Moulton, one of the best known jurists of England, and a member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council since 1912, died yesterday, aged seventy-six.

News of Markets and Finance

STOCKS STILL CONTINUE WEAK

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)

New York, March 9.—The bulk of the turn over was representative of professional efforts. The majority of the floor traders were inclined to labor on the selling side, and while some success was achieved, still the market as a general proposition yielded grudgingly to offerings. A few specialties were subjected to fresh liquidation and most of the railroad stocks displayed dropping tendencies. In connection with the selling in the rail department, increased offerings grew out of the fact that the January earning statements of the important lines made a very unsatisfactory showing. Statements of today of the Atchison and St. Paul show a sharp falling off in loadings and indicate strongly the contraction in the volume of traffic that has taken place on the carriers of the country. Since January, however, the railroads have put into effect many economics in various ways and it is therefore expected that the earnings exhibits of February and succeeded months will show up better.

	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	34¾	34¾	34¾
Am. Beet Sugar	43½	42⅝	43½
Am. Can Co., com.	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Am. Car Fdy.	123	122⅜	123
Am. Cotton Oil	21	19⅝	19⅝
Am .In. Corp.	44¾	43¼	43¼
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	39⅝	38⅝	39
Am. Sugar Rfg.	91	89⅝	91
Am. T. & Tel.	102	101⅞	102
Am. Wool, com.	64⅝	64½	64½
Am. Sum. Tob.	85½	84	84
Anacond a Mining	37⅝	37	37
Atchison	82	81	81
Atlantic Gulf	41⅝	39¼	40¾
Baldwin Loco.	89	88¼	89
Baltimore & Ohio	33⅛	32⅝	32¾
Bethlehem Steel	57¼	57	57
Canadian Pacific	113⅛	112	112
Central Leather	38¼	38⅛	38¼
Crucible Steel	92½	92	92⅛
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	26½	26½	26½
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	26⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Cons. Gas	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
Chino Copper	21	21	21
Chile Copper	9⅝	9	9¼
Corn Products	71⅝	70⅞	71
Distillers Sec.	22⅛	22	22
Erie	12⅜	12½	12½
Gen. Electric	131	130½	130½
Gen. Motors	13⅛	12⅞	13
Goodrich (B. F.)	37¼	36¾	36¾
Gt. Northern, pref.	73¼	72⅛	72½
Hide & Lea., pref.	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜
Inspiration Cop.	32⅜	32½	32½
Int'l Nickel	14⅞	14⅝	14⅝
Int'l Mer. Marine	14	14	14
Kennecott Copper	17	16⅞	16⅞
Kan. City Southern	23	22¼	22¼
Lehigh Valley	52	51¼	51¼
Lack. Steel	54⅝	54⅞	54⅞
Midvale Steel	30½	30⅜	30⅜
Mex. Petroleum	156⅜	155⅝	156¼
Miami Copper	17½	17½	17½
Missouri Pacific	18¼	18	18
N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	18⅜	17½	17⅝
New York Central	70¼	69⅝	69⅝
Northern Pacific	80	79⅛	79⅛
Nevada Cons. Copper	10	9⅞	10
Pennsylvania R. R.	38	37½	37½
People's Gas	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
Pressed Steel Car	89	89	89
Reading	74⅛	71⅝	71⅞
Ray Cons. Mining	12	12	12
Republic Steel	66⅛	66	66⅛
Sin. Oil	22⅞	22⅝	22⅜
Southern Pacific	75¼	74⅝	74⅝
Southern Ry., com.	21¼	21	21
Studebaker Corpn.	60⅝	59⅜	60⅛
Sloss Sheffield	43	42¼	42¼
Tob. Prod.	53½	52¼	52⅛
The Texas Company	41⅝	41¼	41¼
Union Pacific	119⅜	118¼	118¼
Utah Copper	49½	48⅜	48⅞
U. S. Rubber	67½	67	67
U. S. Steel, com.	81⅜	81⅛	81⅜
Willy's Overland	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Virginia Chem.	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Wabash R. R. "A"	20⅜	19⅝	19⅝
Westinghouse Elec.	47	47	47
Allied Chemical	43	42½	42¼
Alloy Steel	30⅞	30⅞	30⅞
Kelly Springfield	39¼	38⅝	38⅝
Coca Cola	20¾	20⅜	20⅜
Columbia Graphophone	8⅝	8	8⅝
C. & N. W. Ry.	67	66⅛	66⅛
United Fruit	101	98⅜	100½
Fam. Play. Lasky Cor.	65⅝	65⅜	65⅜
Green Cananea	21½	21⅛	21½
Pittsburg Coal	58	57⅝	57⅝
Pere Marquette	17¼	17	17
Transcontinental Oil	8	8	8
Union Oil	20¼	20¼	20¼
White Motors	38¼	38¼	38⅜
Hupp Motors	13¼	13¼	13¼
Middle States Oil	13⅜	12⅞	12⅞
Bosch Car	54	53⅝	54
Chandler Motors	71⅝	71	71¼
Hewston Oil	68	68	68
Cera de Pasco	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
Pierce Arrow	26⅛	25⅞	25⅞

London, March 9.—John W. Davis, retiring American Ambassador, has received a cordial letter from President Harding announcing that the President will comply with Mr. Davis's request that a new Ambassador be appointed as soon as possible, so that Mr. Davis may return home.

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Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque payable to the said Board for a sum equal to 5 per cent. of the estimated amount of the tender.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The cheques of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them as soon as their tender is rejected.

Arrangements may be made by the successful bidder for a lease of the said store building and premises for a period of two years, on reasonable terms.

Particulars of stock and terms of sale will be furnished on application to

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No. 2239.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.)

New York sterling, $3.88½.
Canadian sterling, $4.48.
New York funds, 14⅛ per cent.
New York silver, domestic, 99⅛c.
New York silver, foreign, 54⅛c.
London bar silver, 31⅝d.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, March 9.—After the lower opening, attributed to yesterday's United States Government report, the local wheat market dropped to 184⅜ for May. There was a good class of buying on the decline, and offerings were absorbed which finally gave strength to the market. During the last hour prices recovered early losses and the market closed ¾ cent higher for May and 1 cent up for July.

The cash market was quiet to-day, with premiums unchanged. Both offerings and demand were light. Coarse grains continue exceptionally quiet and dull.

Oats closed ⅛ cent higher; barley ⅛ to ½ cent higher; flax ⅜ to 1¼ cents lower, and rye 1½ cents lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	186	189⅝	184⅜	188¾
July	171½	175⅛	170⅞	174½
Oats—				
May	50⅝	51⅝	50½	51⅝
July	52¼	53	52⅛	52⅞
Barley—				
May	80	81⅜	80	81½
July	79	79⅞	79	79⅞
Flax—				
May	185½	186½	184	186½
July	190	190	188¼	189½
Rye—				
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Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 196¼; 2 Nor., 193¼; 3 Nor., 189¼; No. 4, 182⅜; No. 5, 174⅜; No. 6, 156⅜; feed, 148⅜; track, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, 196¼.

Oats—2 C. W., 50¼; 3 C. W., 46; extra 1 feed, 46; 1 feed, 44; 2 feed, 41; track, 50¼.

Barley—3 C. W., 85½; 4 C. W., 74; feed, 62¼; track, 81½.

Flax—1 N. W. C., 183¼; 2 C. W., 178⅜; 3 C. W., 154½; condemned, 151½; track, 182⅜.

Rye—2 C. W., 164.

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SILVER.

London, March 9.—Bar silver, 31⅝d. per ounce. Money, 5½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 7 per cent.; three months' bills, 6⅝ to 6 11-16 per cent.

New York, March 9.—Bar silver, domestic, 99½; foreign, 54⅛; Mexican dollars, 41⅜ cents.

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EXCHANGE SUMMARY.

New York, March 9.—Prime mercantile paper, 7½ to 7¾.

Exchange firm; sterling, demand, 3.88; cables, 3.88¾.

Francs, demand, 7.07; cables, 7.09.

Belgian francs, demand, 7.38; cables, 7.40.

Guilders, demand, 34.05; cables, 34.15.

Lire, demand, 3.67; cables, 3.69.

Marks, demand, 1.57; cables, 1.59.

Greece, demand, 7.53.

Argentine, demand, 34.62.

Brazilian, demand, 15.25.

Montreal, 12¾ per cent. discount.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 90 days and 6 months, 6½ to 7 per cent.

Call money steady; high, 7; low, 7; ruling rate, 7; closing bid, 6; offered at 7; last loan, 7.

TO BE EXTERMINATED.

Everett, March 9. — Ranchers in Snohomish County are determined that the wild cat, coyote and couger must go. A campaign has been started for extermination of these felines.

TO BE PROVOST.

Philadelphia, March 9. — Major-General Leonard Wood will be nominated as Provost of the University of Pennsylvania at the next meeting of the board of trustees, March 21.

SHORTS COVER AT CLOSE TO-DAY

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)

Chicago, March 9.—The market opened weak on the Government crop report, issued late yesterday, and after staying off about three cents during most of the morning session suddenly started to rally, gaining momentum as the afternoon market progressed. The most important news was the further reports of green bugs, and this caused extensive short covering and also buying by some commission houses. Nothing new was reported from abroad.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	163½	168⅜	163	167⅜
May	157	160½	155½	160
Corn—				
May	69⅝	71⅛	69¼	71¼
July	72	73⅞	71½	73¼
Oats—				
May	44⅜	45½	44½	45½
July	45⅜	46½	45⅜	46¼

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NEW YORK COTTON.

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Last
Jan.	13.37	13.37	13.21	13.37
March	11.50	11.58	11.40	11.58
May	11.95	12.10	11.85	12.08
July	12.44	12.54	12.30	12.52
Oct.	13.04	13.10	12.88	13.09
Dec.	13.30	13.30	13.10	13.30

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LOCAL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(By F. W. Stevenson.)

	Bid	Asked
Athabasca Oils	.12	.25
Bowena Copper	.07½	.10
B. C. Refining Co.	.32	.40
B. C. Permanent Loan	85.00	..
Boundary Bay Oil	.02¼	.02⅝
Canada Copper	.55	..
Cons. M. & S.	18.00	19.00
Drum Lummon	.07½	.09
Empire Oil	.04½	.05¼
Granby	22.00	..
Great West Perm.	49.00	65.00
Howe Sound	3.00	4.00
International Coal	..	.31
McGillivray	.45	..
Nabob	.03⅜	.04¼
Nugget	.12½	.13½
Pitt Meadows	.03	.05
Rambler-Cariboo	.09	..
Silversmith	.20	.24
Silver Crest	.03½	.05½
Snowstorm	.03¾	..
Spartan Oil	.10	.10½
Standard Lead	.16	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.26
Surf Inlet	.40	.45
Stewart M. & D.	..	.25
Stewart Land	..	10.00
Trojan Oils	.10	.10½
Bonds.		
Dom. War Loan, 1931	92¼	92¾
Dom. War Loan, 1937	97⅜	98
Dom. War Loan, 1925	94	94⅜
Victory Loan, 1922	98½	98⅜
Victory Loan, 1923	98	98¼
Victory Loan, 1924	96¼	96½
Victory Loan, 1927	97½	97¾
Victory Loan, 1933	98½	98⅜
Victory Loan, 1934	95¼	95½
Victory Loan, 1937	99⅛	99⅝

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Ames Holden	..	24
Do., pref.	..	31
Bell Telephone	104	..
Brazilian Trac.	33	..
Can. Cement, com.	58¼	..
Do., pref.	91	..
Can. Car Fdy., com.	..	37
Do., pref.	69½	..
Can. S. S., com.	28½	..
Do., pref.	67	67¼
Brompton Paper	35½	..
Can. Cottons	76	77
Can. Gen. Elec.	111	112
Cons. M. & S.	18	18¼
Detroit United	..	86
Dom. Bridge	..	83
Dom. Canners	29	30
Dom. I. & S.	37¼	..
Dom. Textile	112¾	113
L. of Woods Mlg.	145	..
Laurentide Co.	82	..
Ogilive Mlg. Co.	202	..
Do., pref.	100	101
Penmans, Ltd.	97	..
Quebec Railway	27	27½
Riordon Paper	120	124
Shawinigan	104½	105
Spanish River Pulp	70½	..
Do., pref.	81	81⅛
Steel of Can.	57	..
Do., pref.	92	..
Wayagamac Pulp	65	..

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Clean-Up Prices on Waists and Middies

35 Only Handsome Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists in various colors; embroidered, beaded and tucked styles; sizes 34 to 40; formerly $10.50 to $15.00. Remnant Day **$4.98**

45 Only White Habutai Silk Waists in tailored styles; sizes 38 to 44; formerly $5.00 and $5.75. Remnant Day **$3.49**

9 Only Black Habutai Silk Waists, sizes 34 only; formerly $4.50 and $5.00. Remnant Day.. **$2.49**

50 Only Clydella Flannel Waists in plain colors and neat stripes; sizes 36 to 44; formerly $7.50. Remnant Day **$3.49**

Middies and Smocks of heavy white drill and colored beach cloth; sizes 40, 42 and 44; formerly $3.95 to $4.50. Remnant Day **$1.79**

12 Only Sleeveless Sport Jumpers of colored beach cloth; sizes 36 to 44; formerly $3.95. Remnant Day **98c**

Gordons Limited

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Unusual Bargains in Women's Underwear

Oddments in Children's Vests, Drawers, Black Tights, Dr. Denton's and Watson's Sleepers, formerly $1.35 and $1.95. Remnant Day **98c**

Women's Drawers, ankle length; formerly 75c and $1.00. Remnant Day **59c**

Women's Vests, long and no sleeves; formerly $1.50 and $1.65. Remnant Day **98c**

Women's Combinations, Harvey's; several styles; formerly $3.00 and $3.95. Remnant Day **$1.95**

Women's Silk Top Combinations, flesh and white; formerly $5.50. Remnant Day **$2.95**

Women's Directoire Drawers, pink only; $1.00 value. Remnant Day **50c**

THURSDAY IS REMNANT DAY

Hosiery Priced Very Low For Remnant Day

Penman's Black Cotton Hose, seconds; 65c quality. Remnant Day, pair **39c**

Penman's Black Cotton Hose, seconds; 75c quality. Remnant Day, pair **50c**

Penman's Black Soisette Silk Lustre Hose, seconds; $1.25 quality. Remnant Day, pair **75c**

Boys' Heavy Quality Black Cotton Hose, sizes 6 to 10; regular 75c and 85c. Remnant Day, pair **59c**

Women's Novelty White Lisle Hose with fancy plaid designs; regular $1.00. Remnant Day, three pairs for **$1.00**

Misses' 4-1 Rib Novelty Lisle Hose, black and white; sizes 8 to 10; regular 85c. Remnant Day, pair **59c**

Women's Cotton Hose in black and brown; regular 50c. Remnant Day, three pairs for **$1.00**

All-Wool Golf Hose in many heather shades; sizes 8½ to 10; regular $3.25. Remnant Day, pair **$1.98**

Children's 1-1 Rib Cotton Hose in white; sizes 5 to 7½. Special, Remnant Day three pairs for **$1.00**

Women's White Cotton Hose, sizes 8½ and 9. Special, Remnant Day four pairs for **$1.00**

Remnant Day Bargains From the Staple Department

36 and 38-Inch Novelty Voiles, formerly 75c and $1.00. Remnant Day yard **49c**

Plaid Ginghams, strong quality; 27, 32 and 36 inches wide; formerly 65c to 85c. Remnant Day, yard **49c**

Ceylon Flannels in neat stripe designs; regular 85c. Remnant Day, yard **59c**

A Collection of Novelty Muslins, Cotton Crepes and Voiles in floral and check designs; values to 50c. Remnant Day, yard .. **29c**

50 Pairs of White Wool Blankets in size 60 x 80 inches; formerly $12.00. Remnant Day, pair **$6.00**

Down Comforters filled with pure down and covered with art downproof sateen; size 66 x 72; regular $21.00 to $22.50. Remnant Day, pair .. **$13.95**

Plaid Blankets in heavy quality; size 72 x 84 inches; formerly $12.75. Remnant Day, pair **$8.75**

Turkey Chintz, 27 inches wide; suitable for covering comforters, cushions, etc.; formerly 50c. Remnant Day, yard **29c**

Huckaback Towels in a good drying quality; size 17 x 32; regular 60c. Remnant Day, each **39c**

Dimity Bedspreads in assorted designs; size 66 x 96; formerly $7.50. Remnant Day each **$5.95**

Fancy Blankets, nice soft quality; pink, blue and grey plaids; size 66 x 80 inches; formerly $7.50. Remnant Day, each **$4.98**

Crib Comforters, cotton filled and covered with floral silkoline; formerly to $3.75. Remnant Day, each ... **$1.98**

38-Inch Ratine Suitings in check designs; formerly $2.25. Remnant Day, yard **98c**

27-Inch White Flannelette, good wearing quality; a limit of 12 yards to each customer. Remnant Day, yard ... **19c**

Colored Turkish Towels, heavy quality and large size; 21 x 45 inches; regular $1.15. Remnant Day, each **89c**

Comforters filled with selected cotton and covered with a good quality of silkoline; size 66 x 72; formerly $6.50. Remnant Day, each **$3.95**

White Flannelette Blankets, heavy quality, in medium bed size; formerly $3.75. Remnant Day, pair **$2.35**

Remnants at Extreme Reductions. Useful Lengths of Sheetings, Flannelettes, Longcloths, Ginghams Towelings, Etc.

Sweaters Lowly Priced

A Clearance of Wool Pull-Over Sweaters, with sleeves; a good range of styles and colors. Formerly $6.50, $7.50 and $8.50. Remnant Day ... **$2.98**

A Remarkable Value in Coat Sweaters, of pure wool and fibre silk, in desired colors; sizes 36 to 40. Formerly $8.50 to $12.50. Remnant Day **$3.95**

All-Wool Sleeveless Pull-Overs, in four good colors. Formerly $4.50 and $5.00. Remnant Day **$1.69**

Snaps in Ribbons

Wide Taffeta Ribbons, in a good range of colors. To-day's value 65c. Remnant Day, yard, **39c**

Smart Stripe Ribbons, for sport hats. 35c value. Remnant Day, yard, **10c**

Faille Ribbons, for hat making; black, white and colors. 35c value. Remnant Day, yard, **12½c**

$1.00 Lisle Gloves 75c

Women's Lisle Gloves, in reliable quality; grey, natural and fawn; all sizes. $1.00 values, Remnant Day, pair **75c**

Remnant Day Bargains in Undermuslins

Women's Drawers of fine cotton, open and closed styles; formerly 98c. Remnant Day **69c**

O. S. sizes, formerly $1.25. Remnant Day **79c**

Nightgowns made of excellent quality cotton; open front styles; formerly $2.00. Remnant Day **98c**

Formerly $2.69 and $2.75. Remnant Day .. **$1.98**

Sizes 34 and 36; formerly 59c. Remnant Day **25c**

Envelope Chemise made of fine white mull, trimmed with lace and insertion; sizes 36 to 44; formerly $2.95 to $3.50. Remnant Day **$1.98**

Muslin Underskirts in extra large sizes, embroidery trimmed; formerly $2.49. Remnant Day **$1.49**

Corset Covers of fine cotton trimmed with lace and insertion; sizes 36 to 40; formerly $1.50 and $1.95. Remnant Day **98c**

Dainty Tea Aprons, trimmed with fine muslin embroidery. Formerly 75c, Remnant Day **39c**

Practical Flannelette Kimonas, in dainty floral designs; all sizes. Formerly $5.95, Remnant Day price **$3.49**

Clearance of Odd Lines From the Ready-to-Wear Section

GROUP 1—Includes Black Moire Coats, Rubberized Rain Coats, Velvet Sport Coats, Serge and Poplin Dresses in small and medium sizes. Former values $13.50 to $25.00, Remnant Day **$5.00**

GROUP 2—Comprises. Wash Dresses of plain and flowered voiles, Porch Dresses of best quality of Gingham and chambray, a few Wash Suits in natural color linenette; small and medium sizes. Formerly $8.50 to $27.50, Remnant Day price **$5.98**

GROUP 3—Includes a number of very attractive Dresses, 1 in georgette, 1 in crepe de chine, 2 in tricollette, 1 in taffeta, 1 in messaline, 3 in serge and 8 in poplin; small and medium sizes. Formerly $21.50 to $52.50; Remnant Day price, only **$15.00**

No Phone Orders, No C. O. D., or No Deposits Taken on These Lines

Silk Camisoles and Envelope Chemise Reduced

Dainty Envelope Chemise of white or pink habutai silk; lace trimmed; formerly $4.50 to $5.00. Remnant Day **$2.49**

Camisoles of pink or white silk, trimmed with lace or insertion; sizes 36 to 40. Formerly $2.50 and $2.75 for **$1.98**
Formerly $1.85 for **$1.39**
Formerly $1.50 for **49c**

Bargains in Notions

Arm Bands, gold and silver. Formerly 35c for, pair **25c**
Children's Suspenders. Formerly 35c for, pair **19c**
Shopping Bags (string). Formerly 65c for **39c**
Boot Laces, black and tan. Special, pair **5c**
Mending Wool on Cards, black, white, natural and grey. Special, card.. **2½c**

Trimmings Reduced

Dress Guimps and Ball Trimmings in many useful colors; formerly to 75c. Remnant Day, yard **10c**

Oddments in Dress Trimmings, comprising silk, metal and beaded novelties; formerly to 85c. Remnant Day **25c**

Stud Earrings, formerly $1.25 and $1.00. Remnant Day **25c**

Children's White Belts formerly 50c and 75c. Remnant Day **25c**

Snaps From the Ready-to-Wear Department

High-Grade English Gaberdine Trench Coats, in medium and light shades; sizes 16 to 42. Formerly $45.00 to $49.50, Remnant Day **$29.50**

Silk Poplin Dress Skirts, in large range of colors; sizes 24 and 29. Formerly $7.95, Remnant Day Price **$5.95**

Colored Silk Umbrellas. Formerly $11.50. Remnant Day... **$7.95**

Investigate These Bargains From the Children's Section—1st Floor

Odd Lines of Children's Coats in Tweeds and nap cloth; 4 to 10 years; formerly to $15.00. Remnant Day .. **$6.98**

A Few Only Kiddies' Coats in lambswool, Cheviot and velvet cords; 4 and 6 years; formerly to $7.50. Remnant Day **$2.98**

Girls' Black Rubber Coats, thoroughly stormproof; formerly to $14.00. Remnant Day **$6.98**

Children's Cotton Jerseys in navy and white; 2, 6 and 10 years; formerly 75c. Remnant Day **49c**

Wool Caps in various colors; formerly $1.25 and $1.50. Remnant Day **39c**

Children's Princess Slips of white muslin, lace trimmed; 2, 4 and 10 years; formerly 95c to $1.10. Remnant Day **69c**

Children's Cotton Drawers, 2, 10 and 12 years only; formerly 69c. Remnant Day **39c**

Children's Princess Slips of white muslin, neatly trimmed; 6 to 14 years; formerly $1.75. Remnant Day **$1.29**

Children's Coat Middies for ages 8 to 12 years; formerly $2.25. Remnant Day .. **$1.49**

11 Only, Girls' Middies of heavy white twill; slip-over style; 8 and 10 years; formerly $1.85. Remnant Day **98c**

Children's Apron Dresses of pink chambray; 2 to 6 years; formerly $1.25. Remnant Day **79c**

Girls' Wash Kilts of heavy twill, with bodice attached; 8 to 14 years; formerly $1.85. Remnant Day **$1.39**

Girls' Coat Middies for ages 8, 10 and 12 years; formerly $1.50. Remnant Day **98c**

Infants' Silk and Wool Vests, Watson's; 1 to 3 years; regular $2.00 for **$1.65**
Regular $2.25 for **$1.75**
Regular $2.50 for **$2.00**
Regular $2.75 for **$2.50**

Infants' White Cotton Gowns, formerly $1.25. Remnant Day **98c**

Infants' Coats of heavy pique, formerly $2.95. Remnant Day **$1.98**

Infants' Stork Pants, diaper style; Special, Remnant Day **79c**

Clearing the Balance of Our Stock of Children's Warm Eiderdown Kimonas, ages 2 to 12 years; formerly $5.00 to $5.50. Remnant Day **$2.98**

Corsets and Brassieres Reduced

Broken Lines in Goddess Front-Laced Corsets, made from fine batiste and brocaded coutil in pink and white; sizes 22 and 23. Formerly $7.75 and $12.50, Remnant Day price **$4.98**

Bandeaus and Brassieres, made of white cotton and brocaded mull; all sizes. Special Remnant Day **98c**

A Good Fitting Corset, of strong white coutil; low and medium bust styles; sizes 21 to 25 and 28, 29 and 30. Formerly $2.50, Remnant Day price **$1.98**

Brassieres, in front-fastening style; sizes 34, 36 and 38. Bandeaus of pink repp; sizes 36, 38 and 40. Formerly 85c, Remnant Day ... **69c**

Children's Corset Waists, of strong white coutil, well corded; sizes 22, 23 and 24. Formerly $1.25, Remnant Day **98c**

"Eisman's" Sanitary Towels; medium sizes. Regular 75c per dozen; Remnant Day, per dozen **50c**

Bargains in Handkerchiefs

Women's Irish Linen Initial Handkerchiefs. Formerly 35c, Remnant Day, each **23c**

Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, in odd initials. Regular 75c, Remnant Day, each **49c**

Women's Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, with initialed corners; oddments. Formerly 19c, Remnant Day, each **5c**

Men's Handkerchiefs, with fast colored borders. Reg. 25c, Remnant Day, 5 for... **$1.00**

Men's White Lawn Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched borders. Special Remnant Day, 3 for **50c**

Neckwear, Veils, Etc.

Frillings and Tucked Bandings, in toast, pink and white. Regular 95c to $1.50, Remnant Day, yard **75c**

Silk Scarves, in self colors and neat stripe effects. Regular $3.50 to $5.75' Remnant Day price **$2.98**

Marabou Capes, in navy and brown. Formerly $15.00, Remnant Day **$8.95**

Veilings in purple, white and black; formerly to $1.50. Remnant Day, yard **25c**

Outing Veils in slip-on style; many patterns; black only; formerly 25c. Remnant Day **15c**

Savings on Millinery

A Clean Up of Babies' Wash Bonnets; slightly mussed. Formerly $1.25 and $1.50, Remnant Day **29c**

A Snap in Smart Ready-to-Wear Hats; misses' and women's styles. Special Remnant Day for **$1.95**

"Togo" Panama Shapes, in a variety of styles. To-day's value $1.00, Remnant Day **50c**

Stamped Articles

Stamped Bureau Sets, comprising 18x45 inch scarf and 5½x14 inch pin cushion. Special Remnant Day **69c**

Shetland Floss, in 15 good shades. Remnant Day, per 1-oz. ball **23c**

Stamped Pillow Cases. Formerly $1.25, Remnant Day, pair **98c**

Stamped Nightgowns; good designs. Special Remnant Day, each **$1.00**

Stamped White Centre Pieces. Special Remnant Day for **29c**

Silks, Coatings and Dress Goods Reduced

54-Inch Sports Coating in novelty stripe and check designs; formerly $6.95. Remnant Day **$3.98**

A Collection of Tweeds, all high grade materials; 56 and 58 inches wide; values $5.00 to $7.50. Remnant Day **$3.98**

36-Inch Tub Corduroy Velveteen in light shades; formerly $2.25. Remnant Day, yard **$1.49**

36-Inch Foulards in dainty designs; formerly $2.50. Remnant Day, yard **98c**

44-Inch Black Cashmere, formerly $2.50. Remnant Day, yard **$1.98**

54-Inch Black Wool Serge, of splendid quality; formerly $6.50. Remnant Day, yard **$3.95**

36-Inch Fancy Coat Linings in good wearing quality; formerly $1.25. Remnant Day, yard **69c**

36-Inch Check Satin Cloth in black only; formerly $1.75. Remnant Day, yard **69c**

30-Inch Light Green Sateens, formerly 60c. Remnant Day, yard **25c**

40-Inch Black Satin Cloth, formerly $2.50. Remnant Day, yard **$1.59**

33-Inch Pongee Silk, serviceable quality; formerly 85c. Remnant Day, yard **59c**

36-Inch White Habutai Silk, extra heavy quality; formerly $2.50. Remnant Day yard **$1.75**

Remnants at Extreme Reductions —Useful Lengths of Silks, Dress Goods and Linings